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HARTZEL & ALLIED FAMILIES

of

BASH STAUFFER WORMAN & SHALLENBERGER

ANCESTORS & DESCENDANTS

of

MICHAEL & NANCY HARTZELL

Pennsylvania to Illinois, 1836

&

Other Miscellaneous Data

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Whose Mother Was A Hartzell



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## FORENOTE

The original purpose of this work was the collecting of data regarding Michael Bash Hartzell and his wife Nancy Worman Stauffer Hartzell, of Rock Island County, Illinois, and their descendants; data to be incorporated, with much other material, in a HISTORY OF THE HARTZELL FAMILY IN AMERICA, which was to be published at some future date by the National Association of Hartzells in America.

As the publishing of that book seems to be indefinitely postponed, it has been decided to arrange the material concerning the line of Michael and Nancy Hartzell into typed manuscript form for the family of the compiler and for the use of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. While gathering this material, other miscellaneous data was collected of allied families, including: Bash, Stauffer, Worman, and Shallenberger. This additional data has been included in the present work, as it will be of interest to the family and may be of interest and help to persons searching for ancestors by those names.

The Revolutionary claims on Hartzell, Stauffer, Worman, and Shallenberger were established by Dr. J(oseph)Culver Hartzell, genealogist, formerly of Blue Ash, Ohio, who was a member of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and of the Institute of American Genealogy; and was one of the founders of the Hartzell Association. This compiler has enjoyed the privilege of studying some of the genealogical notes of Dr. Hartzell covering three years preceding October, 1932. These notes are now the property of his nephew, Karl Drew Hartzell of New York State.

The collecting of family data was begun as early as 1880, by the Right Reverend Bishop Joseph Crane Hartzell, who was a son of Michael Bash Hartzell and the father of Dr. J. Culver Hartzell. With the assistance of his son and a friend, a great deal of material had been collected by the 1920s. This material was, unfortunately, destroyed; but after the death of the Bishop in 1928, his son, Dr. Hartzell, began to again collect family data.

His notes consist of quotations from: published authorities; letters from genealogists and friends who had conducted research for him in local published and unpublished archives; church records, etc; both of this country and in Europe; letters from members of the family containing reminiscences and data of their branches of the family; and from unpublished family records, in his possession, including the German Lutheran Bible used by Adam Hartzell and his wife, Catherine Bash Hartzell, the parents of Michael Bash Hartzell.



Most of the data predating Michael and Nancy Hartzell, on the Hartzell, Stauffer, Worman and Shallenberger lines, also a small part of the Bash data, are from the notes of Dr. Hartzell, although most of the Bash data and some of the other early data was collected by this compiler from other sources.

The material regarding Michael and Nancy Hartzell and their descendants, nearly all of which was gathered by this compiler, is from various authentic, unpublished sources, including the Family Bible of Michael and Nancy Hartzell and the Family Bibles and Family Records of their children and grandchildren. These written records have been supplemented by statements of living grandchildren and great grandchildren, who had knowledge of the facts of which they spoke.

Acknowledgement is made of the kindness of Karl Drew Hartzell in granting this compiler permission to use the genealogical notes of his uncle, Dr. J. Culver Hartzell.

The compiler's gratitude is due to her aunt, Mrs. Fred A. Burgston of Moline, Illinois, who, in 1942, was the possessor of many of the original records and has also given valuable assistance in establishing facts.

Thanks are also due to many other members of the family who have contributed their data and encouragement to the compiler; to Miss Margaret Waters of Indianapolis, who had done much of the Bash research; and to Miss Susan Kachline of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, who did much of the research in Northampton County, Pennsylvania for Dr. Hartzell, and whose knowledge of the records and locale has been of value to this compiler.

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### HARTZELL

The European roots of the Hartzell Family in America have not been definitely established (1932). It is thought, however, that the family and name originated in or near the Harz (Hartz) Mountains in Germany. This mountain range, extending north-west by south-east, is located in Prussia, Brunswick, and Anhalt, and forms a part of the dividing line between High and Low Germany.

Near the north foot of the Harz Mountains, on the summit of Burgburg, in the Duchy of Brunswick, are the ruins of the ancient Castle of Harzburg, famous in German history. This castle, home of Harzl von Harzburg, Baron of the Holy Roman Empire, was built about 1064-69; was destroyed by the Saxons in 1074; was rebuilt, destroyed again, and again rebuilt. It finally fell to the House of Brunswick and, after the Thirty Years War, was allowed to fall into ruins.

Mention is also made of an ancient Castle of Herzburg on the southwestern side of the Harz Mountains, near the town of Herzburg in the Province of Hanover. This may be the same castle as that above, for Hanover was long connected with the Brunswick family, and doubtless the boundry lines of the two provinces have been changed many times.

A Coat-of-Arms is shown in *PLANCHES DE L'ARMORIAL GENERAL* by Rietsap, which was granted in the early days of heraldry, probably in the 11th century, to a feudal clan, von Herzel or Herzelles. In this Coat-of-Arms, the shield has only one charge, the chevron; the description being: Shield gules (red); a chevron or (gold). The chevron denotes protection and is also a symbol of honor. The symbolism of the colors red and gold is: courage, generosity, and elevation of the mind.

The Reichbaronnes von Herzeels of the Lower Rhine Valley are mentioned in *KNECHKES HANDBOOK OF NOBILITY* which says that they took their name from the village of Hersel near Bonn, and that from the year 1200 this clan had its "headquarters", the "House Hersel" in Cologne on Sassenhof, and that it owned, in the Rhineland, the estates of Bodenheim, Laurenzberg and Vochem.

A branch of this clan went to Flanders, called themselves Herzeele and founded the town of Herzeele. Another branch went to Holland, where the Baron van Herzelle became distinguished during the Spanish occupation. There was also a branch, von Herzele in Burgundy, France; a Swedish branch that returned to Pomerania, Germany; and an English branch that became prominent in military affairs of the 17th century. These branches used Coats-of-Arms with the chevron still remaining, but the shield quartered with other charges as was done in cases of intermarriage with other titled families.



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A different Coat-of-Arms is shown in SIEMACKERS WAPPENBOOK (Public Library of Berlin, 1929) for a Bavarian branch of the family, one granted in 1548 to Lienhart Hertzel, Wirth to Augsburg. This shield was of silver, charged with three red hearts, two above and one below. Part of the Bavarian branch remained Catholic during the War of the Reformation.

From which one of the many branches of the Hartzell family in Europe the American immigrants were descended, or how closely they may have been related to the nobility, it is impossible to say from facts obtainable at this time (1932)

There is a legend among descendants of John George Hertzel of Lower Saucon Township, Bucks (now Northampton) County, Pennsylvania, that he was one of four Hartzel brothers of the family of the Counts Palatine, rulers of the Palatinate (German Pfalz) who came to America because of religious persecutions.\*

Although records are not available to prove - or to disprove this legend of nobility, it does seem certain that most of the Hartzel immigrants to America came from the Palatinate, and that they all were of the Reformed Faith, the first Protestant faith, founded by Martin Luther, followers of which were being persecuted in the Palatinate during that time.

The Upper Rhine Valley around Heidelberg and Mannheim, chief cities of the Palatinate, had been devastated and impoverished by half a century of wars; and the people had been oppressed and persecuted by a government professing different religious faith from theirs. William Penn and his emissaries had visited the continent of Europe promising these oppressed people civil and religious freedom in his Colony of Pennsylvania in America.

But it was for economic and political reasons as well as because of religious persecutions that people of this district in southern Germany fled to America by the thousands during the early 18th century. These emigrants traveled down the Rhine River, usually, and shipped from Rotterdam and other ports in Holland.

They often came in colonies, headed by their minister and their schoolteacher, starting with all materials and implements necessary for establishing homes and industries (particularly farming) in the wilderness. But hundreds lost all their worldly goods by having them stolen or loaded on the wrong ship in a crowded port.

According to Strassburger in WHAT PENNSYLVANIA GERMANS HAVE DONE FOR AMERICA: "The German immigrants were not the paupers of the old world. Many were well-to-do, and some were even titled personages. But thousands were robbed and otherwise cruelly treated on the voyage to America, and cast into virtual slavery by the redemption system, as they plunged into the wilds" of the country they had chosen for their new homes.

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\* Note: See Hans Jorg Pfalzgraf, family name Höttel, page 9.



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Some of the immigrants had been political or religious refugees in Europe, finding sanctuary in Switzerland before coming to America. Apparently some of the Hartzels were among these, for some of them came over with Swiss colonies and some of their children had been born in Switzerland.

The Hartzel immigrants, as shown in Rupp's NAMES OF 30,000 GERMAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE PORT OF PHILADELPHIA, and in PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, all arrived on ships listed as carrying Palatines.

The earliest recorded Hartzel immigrant was Adam Hartzel, who came in 1690, and received a land grant from William Penn. Tradition says that he came over with Penn.

Between the years 1727-1750, over 20 persons by the name of Hartzel arrived in America through the port of Philadelphia, the males over 21 years of age being taken to the Court House to swear allegiance to the King of England and the Proprietors of Pennsylvania. These names, due to difficulties of English clerks in understanding and spelling the German names, are spelled on the records in many ways: Hertzell, Hartzel, Herzel, Hüttel, Hottell, Hertzell, Hartzlick, Hartslich, Hatslin, Hezelaarín, Hertsell, Stertzell, Hersel, Hörtzel, and Hertzler.

In colonial records in the PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, in church records, etc., the name appears as: Heartzell, Hatzell, Hertzell, Hartzel, Hartzell, Herzel, Hirzel, Hartsle, and various other ways.

All these Hartzel immigrants settled in Pennsylvania, and the larger part of them in Bucks County. Due to that fact; to the scarcity of records; the variety in the spelling of the surname; the similarity of given names; and the custom of giving two baptismal names and dropping one in common usage; there has been great difficulty in positively establishing family lines.

Especially has there been confusion between the family of George Henry Hartzell of Perkasio Manor, Rockhill Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania (ancestor of Dr. Ralph Beaver Strassburger) whose Plantation was known as "Harts All", and who was commonly known as Henry; and the line of John George Hertzell of "Herzels in Saucon", Lower Saucon Township, Bucks (now Northampton) County, Pennsylvania, who was commonly known as George.

This is the story of John George Hertzell and some of his descendants.



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### FIRST GENERATION - The Immigrant Ancestor

John George<sup>1</sup>Hertzel, born 1691, Germany, died 1755(?), Northampton County, Pennsylvania; married in Germany, Barbara (?), born Germany, died in Pennsylvania.

On September 21st, 1727, 109 Palatines, with their families, about 400 persons, imported on the Ship William & Sarah, Wm. Hill, Master, from Rotterdam last from Dover, England, arrived in the port of Philadelphia and appeared at the Court House before the Board of the Provincial Council, all males over 21 years of age making the following oath of allegiance:

"We subscribers, natives and late inhabitants of the Palatinate upon the Rhine and places adjacent, having transported ourselves and families into this Province of Pennsylvania, a colony subject to the crown of Great Britian, in hopes and expectations of finding a retreat and peaceable settlement therein DO solemnly promise and engage that we will be faithful and bear true allegiance to his present MAJESTY, KING GEORGE THE SECOND, and his successors, kings of Great Britian and will be faithful to the proprietor of this province; and that we demean ourselves peaceably to all his said Majesty's subjects, and strictly observe and conform to the laws of England and of this Province, to the best of our understanding."

On the list of immigrants by Rupp in his 30,000 NAMES, appear the names of Hans Georg(John George) Hertzer, and of Ulrich Hetzell, who is listed as "sick, on board". The name of G. M. Weis, V.D.M. is also on this list. He was, for many years, a minister of the Reformed Faith in Pennsylvania.

In 1727, the Upper Consistory of the Reformed Church in the Palatinate, sent to America this Rev. G. Michael Weiss, with a number of people migrating from the Palatinate. They formed a Consistory at Skippack in the upper part of Bucks County, Pennsylvania. Among those who came at this time were: Hans Jer. Herzels, 4 in family, and Ulrich Hartsells 2 in family. (Ref.: MINUTES & LETTERS OF COETUS OF GERMAN REFORMED CONGREGATIONS IN PENNSYLVANIA, by W.F.Hinke, Reformed Church Publications Board, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, pages 21-28)

The term Skippack was used to apply, roughly, to the territory drained by the Skippack River and its tributaries. It may be presumed that the men of the Skippack colony explored much of the nearby countryside, searching for suitable places for homes. John George Hertzel may have made several "settlings" in the Skippack-Saucon-Franconia-Tohicon-Hanover neighborhood, before deciding which were most desirable.

The HISTORY OF LOWER SAUCON TOWNSHIP, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA says: "The first settlers that at present can be traced were, Nathaniel Irish and Isaac Isselstein about 1720-25.



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Others such as Matthew Riegle, Rudolph Oberly, Christian Lambach, Jacob Sheimer, George\*Haertzell" etc. "came about the latter time." "About the latter time" could well mean about 1727.

When Franconia Township, Philadelphia (later Montgomery) County, adjoining Skippack, was organized in 1731, the petition was signed by "the inhabitants living near and about the branches of the Skippack and Perkiomy between Salford and the Buck County line". George\*Hertzell was one of the signers. George\*Hertzell paid Quit Rents in Franconia Township before 1734.

On April 23rd, 1735, the following Land Warrant was issued to George\*Hertzell:

PENNSYLVANIA, ss:

BY THE PROPRIETARIES,

At the request of George Hatzell of the County of Bucks that we grant him to take up Three hundred Acres of Land near Sacoon Creek adjoining to Frederick Schold & Francis Bloome in the said County of Bucks for which he agrees to pay to our Use the sum of Fifteen Pounds Ten Shillings current money of this Province for each Hundred Acres and the yearly Quit-rent of one Half-Penny Sterling for each Acre thereof: THESE are to authorize and require thee to survey or cause to be surveyed unto the said George Hatzell at the place aforesaid, according to the Method of Townships appointed, the said quantity of 300 Acres that hath not already been survey'd or appropriated, and make Return thereof unto the Secretary's Office, in order for a further Confirmation, for which this shall be sufficient Warrant; which Survey, in case the said George Hatsell fulfill the above Agreement within six Months from the Date thereof, shall be valid, otherwise to be void.

GIVEN under my hand the lesser Seal of our Province, at Philadelphia, this 23rd day of April Anno Dom. 1735.

To BENJAMIN EASTBURN, Surveyor General

Tho Penn

The PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Third Series, Vol. 24, pages 131-134 give: George Hatzell, 300 Acres, April 23, 1735; and George Hartzell, Jr., 200 Acres, September 27, 1737. These were adjoining tracts of land in Lower Saucon Township as shown in the release deed of land of George Hertzell, Jr. (page 14)

\* Note: We often find, among these early immigrants, that a man having two baptismal names such as John George, would drop the first name and be commonly known by the second given name only. Such seems to have been the case with this man, as he appears in most of the records simply as - George Hertzell.



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The following Land Warrant is also of interest as it locates George Hertzel at Tohickon, where church records are found of him and his family:

PENNSYLVANIA, ss:

BY THE PROPRIETARIES,

WHEREAS, George Hertzel of the County of Bucks hath requested that we would grant him to take up one hundred Acres of Land Situate at or near Tohickon adjoining Solomon Buckstuhls Land in the said County of Bucks for which He agrees to pay to our Use the sum of Fifteen Pounds ten Shillings current Money of this Province, for said one Hundred Acres and the yearly Quit-rent of One Half-Penny Sterling for every Acre thereof: THESE are, therefore to authorize and require you to survey or cause to be survey'd unto the said George Hertzel at the Place aforesaid, according to the Method of Townships appointed, the said Quantity of 100 Acres, if not already survey'd or appropriated, and make Return thereof into the Secretary's Office, in order for further Confirmation; for which this shall be your sufficient Warrant; which survey, in Case the said George Hertzel fulfil the above Agreement within six months from date hereof, shall be valid, otherwise void.

GIVEN under my hand and Seal of the Land Office, by Virtue of certain Powers from the said Proprietaries, at Philadelphia, this Second day of March Anno Dom. 1742.

To WILLIAM PARSONS, Surveyor General.

Geo. Thomas

Other land warrants issued by the Proprietary Government of Pennsylvania indicate that sons and grandsons of John George Herzel took land in neighboring parts of Bucks County, the northern part of which became Northampton County in 1752.

The earliest Church Records of this vicinity are those of the Goshenhoppen Reformed Church, which was served in 1735-38 by John Henry Goetschy, leader of the Swiss colony of 1734; and for years of 1748-61 by Rev. Weiss, leader of the original Skippack colony of 1727\*

Ulrich Herzel and his six sons attended the first Communion conducted by Rev. Weiss in 1748. Ulrich may have been a brother of John George Hertzel as they arrived in America on the same ship in 1727.

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\* Note: The Goshoppen, Tohickon and Drylands Church Records herein quoted are to be found in Easton, Penna. These and other Reformed Church Records of Penna. have been translated by Rev. W. J. Hinke of Auburn Theological Seminary, address: 156 North St., Auburn, Penna. He will supply extracts from them for a nominal fee (according to Nat'l Hist. Mag., D.A.R., April, 1943)



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From the Goshenhoppen and other records we obtain the following:

John George<sup>1</sup>Hertzel, b.1691, Germany, d.1755(?)Northampton Co.,Penna.(from Family Bible of grandson Jonas, son of Jacob), mar. in Germany, Barbara \_\_\_\_\_, born Germany, d.Pennsylvania.

## Children

- 1.John George,Jr., b.1714, Germany.
- 11.Jacob, b.1716, Germany, d.1781, Penna.  
(Tombstone in Drylands Burying Grounds)
- 111.Christine,"daughter of Mr.Hertzel in Skippack" mar.  
George Peter Knecht, June 22, 1736 (Goshenhoppen)
- Children
  - 1.Leonard,b.Apr.11,1737,Sponsor at baptism was  
Hans Leonard Hartzell (Goshenhoppen)
  - 11.Ulrich,b.Feb.11,1738;d.Feb.26,1818(Dryland Ch.Rec'd)

That John George Hertzel and his wife Barbara had several other children (including a daughter Barbara who married his neighbor Frederick Scholl\*) appears from the following records of Tohickon Reformed Church, 1745-48, Vol.1, under Baptismal Records by Rev. John Conrad Würtz:

- p.73. George Hertzel & Barbara, parents,  
Anna Maria, Bap. May 31, 1752.  
Witnesses - George Rau & Anna Maria Hamman
- p.74. George Hertzel & wife,  
Mary Elizabeth, Bap. June 9, 1754.  
Witnesses - George Rau & Mary Elizabeth Gruber.
- p.76. Frederick Scholl\* & Barbara  
John George, Bap. April 1, 1750.  
Witnesses - John George Hertzel & wife
- p.81. John George Hertzel & Barbara  
Maria Margaret, b.Oct.31, Bap.Nov.14,1756  
Witnesses - Conrad Hess & wife.

If these were also, as appears to be the case, children of our George Hertzel, it would seem probable that Barbara was his second wife, and not the mother of his three oldest children(or four, if Barbara Scholl be included), unless she was extremely young when married. If the Bible dates for his birth(1691) and his death(1755) are correct he would have been 65 years old when Mary Elizabeth was born, and it would appear that the youngest child, Maria Margaret, was born sometime after his death. However, the Bible records were written by his grandson, Jonas, many years after his death, and an error of a year or so could very easily have been made by the writer.

This Tohickon Church record is the last positive record we

\*Note: Frederick Scholl settled,1734,where Hellerstown is now, just a mile south of the George Hertzel tract.(See article: GERMAN IMMIGRANTS, Penna. German Society, Vol. 39, p. 9)



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have of John George Hertzell and his wife Barbara.

Those of his descendants who believe the legend that John George Hertzell was of the nobility believe that: he came to America, 1727 with a part of his family, settled in Skippack or Franconia Township, then returned to Germany, 1731 or 1732 for the remainder of his family; that on his second trip to America he traveled under his title of Pfalzgraf, being, in fact, the same person as the Georg Palsgraff who arrived in Philadelphia on September 11, 1732 with Palatines imported in the Ship Pennsylvania, Jno. Stedman, Master, from Rotterdam, last from Plymouth, England; and that the Anna Hüttel and three Hüttel boys under 16, Georg, Johannes and Heinrich, whose names appear on the passenger list, were his wife and children.\*

Several records of the Pfalzgraf appear in the Goshenhoppen Church Records along with entries of John George Hertzell. On October 31st, 1736, Hans Jorg Pfalzgraf and wife Anna Barbara acted as sponsors to Johan Jorg Eberd, son of Philip and Maria Catrina Eberd. Under entries made by Rev. John Henry Goetschy, we find: 1738, Mar. 2, John George Pfalzgraf, died, son of Georg Pfalzgraf, age 2 yr. 5 mo. This is confusing, but could have been a grandson, son of Georg Hüttel who accompanied his to America in 1732.

The will of Jorg Palzgraf, blacksmith, of Hanover Township Philadelphia County, written May 30, 1757, probated August 1, 1757, lists his children as: sons, Henry, George and Jacob; daughters, Eva, Barbara, Mary, Froncea (Fronica), Margaret, and Christina the oldest daughter, married to Paul Bover (Bower).

According to this will, Barbara the widow, was to inherit 1/3 of the estate and to have the use of the Plantation, 189 acres of land lying in Hanover Township, until Henry arrived of age unless she remarried; the estate to be divided equally between all the children when Henry reached the age of 21, he to inherit the Plantation and to pay the others their shares in yearly payments. If he died without heirs, Jacob was to inherit and if he died without heirs, George was to inherit the Plantation. Other land, located in Northampton County, part of which he had bought from Michael Evert and part of which he had taken from the Proprietors, was to be sold to his son-in-law, Paul Bover, for 100 pounds, the additional value of this land to be the inheritance of his oldest daughter, Christine, wife of Paul Bover. This land was in Lowhill Township formerly a part of Bucks County. Before the estate was settled in 1762, Barbara, the widow, had remarried and her name was Trombower.

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\*Note: The COMPENDIUM OF AMERICAN GENEALOGY, Vol. IV, publ. 1930, gives Dr. J. Culver Hartzell as descended from the Pfalzgraf, and the Barons von Herzele. His notes show that in 1930 he believed this to be true, but that in 1932, he was still searching for proof.



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It must be admitted that there is a strange similiarity in the names of these two men, the places where they lived, and the dates of their deaths, the names of their wives, and the names of their children; which facts might lead one to think them the same person:

John George Palsgraf, d. 1757	John George Hertzel, d. 1755(?)
wife, Anna Barbara	wife, Barbara
Children	
Christina, eldest daughter	Christine, married, 1737
was wife of Paul Bover, 1757	to George Peter Knecht.
Henry, family name Höttel	
Eva	Anna Maria
George, family name Höttel	George, Jr.
Barbara	Babara, mar. Fred Scholl (?)
Jacob, family name Höttel	Jacob
Mary	Mary Elizabeth
Froncea (Fronica)	
Margaret	Maria Margaret
(see page 9)	(see page 8)

The order of births of children of George Palzgraf is not given, but it is presumed that the Henry who was to inherit the Plantation was the oldest son. If so, and as the will says, he was not yet 21, then the sons of this family were younger than the children of John George Hertzel, for we know that his sons George and Jacob were born 1714 and 1716 respectively, and that they were living in Lower Saucon Township in 1757. Lines of their descendants have been traced.

However, if these were children of the same man, the will would explain why the land of John George Hertzel in Lower Saucon Township was vacant in 1762. And, if so, the fact that George, Jr. and Jacob were settled with land of their own, might be the reason that Henry, in reality the youngest son, was to inherit the Plantation. Especially might this have been the case if Henry, being the youngest son, were the only son of Barbara, a second wife, as is suggested on page 8.

On the Tax Lists of Frankford and New Hanover Townships, Philadelphia (later Montgomery) County for year of 1774 we find:

Georg Platzgrove	15 Acres	2 cattle	tax L 2, S 1, 0
Georg Platzgrove, Sr.	estate		tax L 9, S 0, 0

That a descendant of Georg Platzgrove (Palzgraf) continued to use the name of Platzgrove (which some have thought to be a corruption of the title, Pfalzgraf) instead of reverting to the use of the supposed family name of Höttel (Hertzel) seems conclusive proof that John George Hertzel and John Georg Palzgraf were not the same man.

As far as is known, John George Hertzel left no will, and no record has been found (1932) of any probating of his estate,



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if he were not the same man as John George Palzgraf. His place of death and place of burial are not known. He may be buried in the old Burying Grounds at Shimmersville, with other pioneers of the neighborhood.\*

The date of his death as written by his grandson, Jonas Hartzell, of Allentown, in the Bible Records quoted below, may not be entirely correct as they were written many years later. (Bible owned by Miss Lois Hartzell of New York City or by her mother, Mrs. Theodore Hartzell of Kearney, Nebraska.)

- "1. George Hartzell died in Northampton Co. in February, yr. 1755  
He was born in old Germany in the year 1691  
He lived 64 years
  - "2. Jacob Hartzell d. in Northampton Co. on Feb. 9 in the year 1781  
He was born in old Germany in the year 1716  
He lived 65 years
  - "3. Jonas Hartzell as God pleases yet alive in the year of  
our Lord 1816  
He was b then yet Bucks Co the 8th July 1741  
Being 75 $\frac{1}{2}$  years old
  - "4. Isaac Hartzell also as God pleases alive now in the yr  
of our Lord 1816  
He was b in Northampton Co the 8th July 1765  
Being 52 1 mo. old
  - "5. Thomas Hartzell a young man now in Lucern Co. yr. our Lord 1816  
He was b. in Northampton Co. Sept. 29 year 1790  
If so 26 yr old
- "Jonas Hartzell was 14 yrs old when he seen his grandfather George Hartzell buried.  
"Isaac Hartzell was 16 yr & 7 mots when he seen his grandfather Jacob Hartzell buried  
"And Thomas Hartzell if he lives will hear or see his grandfather Jonas Hartzell buried
- "Do think it worthy to enter the above statement in your Bible that the younger generation may also see we are no more in being."

End of First Generation

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\* Note: Other pioneers were: Sheimer, Curry, Cruikshank. See "The Gentlemans Lands & the Cruikshanks of Lower Saucon" by Mrs. Myers, publ. in the Easton Express, Nov. 28, 1931.



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## SECOND GENERATION - "Herzels in Saucon"

John George<sup>2</sup>Hartzel, Jr. (John George, Sr.) b.1714, Germany, died January 21, 1762, Eastern, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, married about 1736, Lehigh County(?) Catherine (Katrina Schmetzer, widow?) born March 1, 1713, died September 17, 1796, Lower Saucon Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania.

John George Hartzel, Jr., the oldest known son of John George Hertzels, Sr., is thought to have been one of the "4 in family" who came to America with his father in 1727. Like his father he dropped his first given name of John and usually is known as George Hertzels, Jr.

In 1737 he received the following grant for land that adjoined the land of his father, in Lower Saucon Township, which is mentioned in PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES (as quoted on page 6)

1737 Bucks

Sept. 20th George Hartzell Jun<sup>r</sup> 200 as

Returned & ca. 14th Feby 1782 \*

No. Twenty Seven

Wm. Brigdale

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PENNSYLVANIA, ss:

BY THE PROPRIETARIES.

WHEREAS George Hartzell Jun<sup>r</sup> of the County of Bucks hath requested that we would grant him to take up Two hundred Acres of Land situate about a mile to the Eastwards of Sacoon Creek (whereon he has been 12 months settled) & adjoining to Daniel Irish & George Kerman in the said County of Bucks for which He agrees to pay to our Use the sum of Fifteen Pounds Ten Shillings current Money of the Province for each Hundred Acres, and the yearly Quit-rent of one Half-penny for every Acre thereof: THESE are therefore to authorize and require thee to survey or cause to be survey'd unto the said George Hartzell at the Place aforesaid according to the Method of Townships appointed the said Quantity of 200 Acres, if not already surveyed or appropriated, and make Return thereof into the Secretary's Office in order for further Confirmation; for which this shall be thy sufficient Warrant; which Survey, in case the said George Harzell fulfil the above Agreement within six months from the date hereof shall be valid, otherwise void.

GIVEN under my Hand, and the lesser Seal of our Province, at Philadelphia, this 20th Day of September Anno Dom. 1737.

To BENJAMIN EASTBURN, Surveyor General

Tho Penn

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\* Note: See Release Deed etc. page 16-



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The Saucon Creek flows north and empties into the Lehigh River at Freemansburg, a few miles east of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. Just east of Freemansburg, the river makes a curve to the north around South Mountain. The land of George Hertzels, Jr. was located about a mile east of Saucon Creek on the slope and in the valley south of the mountain. A large spring on his land fed a tributary to Saucon Creek and is the water-right mentioned in various transfers of the property.

On a corner of this land, where Apple Butter Road from the east meets the east branch of the north and south road between Freemansburg and Hellerstown, sprang up a small village of a few buildings, called Hertzels, Hertzels town, or Hertzels Town, and appearing in old records as "Herzels in Saucon". This part of Bucks County (Lower Saucon Township) became a part of Northampton County in 1752.\*

At Shimmersville, where Apple Butter Road meets the west branch of the north and south road, which is the main road between Freemansburg and Hellerstown, was the old grist mill built before 1740 and mentioned in old Moravian Records. This old mill "capped by a later structure of frame" was still standing in 1931.

The Saucon Church was located at Hertzels "between Freemansburg and Hellerstown" as early as 1747. Records show that in that year it sent Anthony Lerch as delegate to a meeting of the Synod of the Reformed Church held in Philadelphia. The Records of the Lower Saucon Church were begun in 1756, but the births of the children of George Hertzels, Jr. and wife Catherine, from 1737 to 1751 inclusive, are among the first entries. Catherine is buried in the Lower Saucon Church Graveyard. The record on her tombstone reads: Born March 1, 1713, died September 17, 1796.

### Children

1. Magdalena, b. Aug., 1737, mar. Jacob Gross.

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\*Note: Hertzels in Lower Saucon Township (south of the Lehigh River) should not be confused with Hartzels in Bethlehem Township (north of the river) which is now called Newburg and is located where the road between Easton and Bath crosses that between Bethlehem and Nazareth. Here, at the crossroads stood the old Inn built in 1760, operated by Jacob Hertzels (brother of George, Jr) and later by Jonas, son of Jacob. The land of Jacob ran from this corner to the Drylands Churchyard at Hecktown where he is buried. His son, Jonas Hartzels, was sheriff of Northampton Co and filled a number of prominent positions during the Revolution. In later life Jonas bought an Inn at Allentown and is buried there. There is still an Inn at the crossroads in Newburg. A descendant of Jacob Hertzels, Mr. Elmer Kriedler, who now lives just opposite the present day Inn, said in 1931 that Hartzels was later called Newburg, because, as it sat on a hill, the pioneers approaching it from the south, called it New Burg (hill or mountain).



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- ii. Eva Christine, b. Jan. 28, 1739, mar. Matthew König.
- iii. Johannes, b. Sept. 29, 1741, d. 1771, mar. Barbara, dau. Michael Hittel, Sr. of Salisbury, his will made 1783, recorded 1786.
- iv. Maria Margretta, b. Apr. 27, 1743, mar. Philip Stuber.
- v. Frederick, b. Apr. 2, 1745.
- vi. John Adam, b. Apr. 24, 1747, d. Jan., 1824.
- vii. John George, b. Feb. 28, 1749.
- viii. Susanna Catherine, b. June 18, 1751, mar. George Derhammer (Thierhammer) of Allen Township.

Papers with the D.A.R. claim of Miss Hattie King Owen of Sycamore Shoals Chapter of Bristol, Virginia, say that George Hertzell, Jr. married, 1736, in Lehigh County, Katrina Schmetzer, widow; and their daughter Susannah married, 1791, Joseph Owen born 1750. For authority she quotes the records in the Book of the Congregation of the Ausburg Confession belonging to the Lutheran Church on the Delaware River from 1730 to 1750, at which time it went out of existence and the Hertzell family went to the Reformed churches in the neighboring townships.

Miss Owen's claim lists the children of George Hertzell as they are listed above, but her data of him and his wife seems to be confused with data of a younger George Hertzell of Hellertown, a Revolutionary soldier who married the widow, Mary Magdalene Schmetzer. His will was probated in Easton in 1789.

The following is the translation of the will of George Hertzell, made in 1757, and following the will is the affidavit of witnesses to his signature, which was made after his death in 1762. This affidavit has been called a probate, but is not, in the strict form of the word.

In the name of Jesus, Amen. Since I the undersigned, have been visited with sickness, by God Almighty, who is Lord over Death and Life, and therefore do not know when he may take me away from this most miserable world, I consider it my duty to make my last will and as to what shall be done after my death with all my earthly things I leave behind. And this is my well considered, unaffected and earnest will, viz: First, my wife, Catherine Hertzell, shall have the right claim on all real and personal, and shall manage the same with her best judgement and good sense as God may give her, as long as she does not marry again. In case she should marry again, she shall have only the right to manage the property real and personal until the youngest child is of age. Second, it is my earnest, unaffected and well considered will that my children shall obey their mother in every way and help her until they are of age. In case the mother should marry again, the children shall be compelled to live with her only until they are big enough to learn a trade. Third, after my death, not one of my children shall have more than the others, all shall have equal parts. This is my well considered, unaffected and earnest will, and I want same executed after my death, as aforesaid, and I have placed my name under this in presence of witnesses. So done



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at Lohrsackenheim, 2nd day Feb., 1757.

(Signed) George Hertzell

Johannes Egidius Hecker,  
Pt. Reformed Pastor at Sackenheim  
Jacob Schrimmer as witnesses

(Seal)

On the third day of February Anno Domini 1762. Before me, Lewis Gordon, Deputy Register for the probate of will, etc., personally appeared Johannes Egidius and being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth and saith that he was present and the Testator George Hertzell sign, seal and deliver the foregoing writing as and for his last will and testament and that the doing thereof he the said testator was of sound mind, memory and understanding to the best of the deponents knowledge and belief. And further that this deponent and Jacob Schrimmer the other subscribing witness did set their names thereto in the testator's presence and at his request and also in the presence of each other.

(Signed) Lewis Gordon, D.R.

Lohrsackenheim (Lower Saucon Home, or Place) probably was the name given by George Hertzell, Jr. to his Plantation, or farm, as was often done by these early settlers. The Rev. Egidius Hecker was pastor at both the Tochickon and Saucon churches. The Tochickon Church Records state that George Hertzell and George Heckman were drowned at Easton on January 21st, 1762, and buried on January 24th. Place of burial not mentioned. Their graves have not been found in the Tochickon or Saucon Graveyards.

It will be noted that the phraseology of the above will is indefinite, that no definite division of the property is made, and that no provision is made for the widow. It is probably that this was not considered a legal will. We find that in the following Release Deed made by the heirs in 1769, it is said that George Hertzell died intestate, and Catherine the widow is mentioned as Administratrix instead of Executrix as under a will.

CATHERINE HERTZEL & OTHERS) TO ALL PEOPLE TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS  
TO ) SHALL COME

JACOB GROSS ) Catherine Hertzell, of Lower Saucon Township in the County of Northampton, Pennsylvania, Widow Relick & Administratrix of George Hertzell of Lower Saucon Township aforesaid, Yoeman, John Hertzell of Lower Saucon Township aforesaid, Yoeman, Fredericl Hertzell of Lower Saucon Township aforesaid, Yoeman, Adam Hertzell of Lower Saucon Township aforesaid, Cordwainer, George Hertzell of Lower Saucon Township aforesaid, Yoeman, Mathias König of Bethlehem Township in the County of Northampton, Yoeman and Christina his wife, Philip Stuber of

Note: All wills and deeds quoted are to be found in County Records of Northampton County at Easton, Pennsylvania.



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Allen Township in the County of Northampton, aforesaid, Yoeman, and Maria Margareta, his wife, and George Thierhammer of Allen Township, aforesaid, Yoeman and Susanna his wife, they the said John, Frederick, Adam, George, Eva Christine, Maria Margretta and Susanna, being the children of the said George Hertzell, deceased, send greetings, WHEREAS, the said George Hertzell, the father, by force and virtue of a certain proprietary warrant bearing date the twentieth day of September in the year 1737 became in his lifetime entitled unto a certain tract of land situate in Lower Saucon Township aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a corner marked Hickory Sapling in a line of land late of Nathaniel Irish, and thence extending by the same the three courses and distances next following, that is to say: North seventy one perches to a post, west forty five perches to a corner marked White Oak and north one hundred and twenty three perches to a post, thence by vacant land east one hundred and ninety two perches to a post; thence partly by vacant land late of George Hertzell, Father of the first named George, south one hundred and ninety four perches to a corner marked Black Oak in a line of land now or late of George Herman and then extending by the same west one hundred and forty seven perches to the place of beginning. Containing two hundred Acres besides the customary allowance of six acres of land for roads &c. AND the said George Hertzell, the father, being so there unto entitled, died intestate, leaving issue the said John, the oldest son, Frederick, Adam. George, Eva Christine, Maria Margareta, Susanne and Magdalene, now the wife of Jacob Gross of Bethlehem Township in the said County of Northampton, Yoeman.

AND WHEREAS, the said Jacob Gross hath agreed with the widow and children for their shares and respective interest in the said above described tract of land, NOW KNOW YE, that they, the said Catherine Hertzell, John Hertzell, Frederick Hertzell, Adam Hertzell, George Hertzell the son, Mathias König and Eva Christine his wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margareta his wife, and George Thierhammer and Susanna his wife, for and in consideration of the aforesaid agreement and before the sealing and delivery thereof, the receipt whereof the said Catherine Hertzell, John Hertzell, Frederick Hertzell, Adam Hertzell, George Hertzell the son, Mathias König and Eva Christine his wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margareta his wife George Thierhammer and Susanna his wife, do hereby acknowledge and do therefore acquit and forever discharge the said Jacob Gross, his heirs and assigns by these presents, have each and every one of them hath granted, bargained, sold, remised, released, and confirmed, and by these presents do and each and every one of them doth grant, sell, remise, release and confirm unto the said Jacob Gross and his heirs and assigns, All & every part, purport, and putports of them the said Catherine Hertzell, John Hertzell, Frederick Hertzell, Adam Hertzell, George Hertzell the son, Mathias König and Eva Christine his wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margretta his wife, George Thierhammer and Susanna his wife, of, in, and to, the same above described



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Tract of land and of, in, and to all and singular the buildings improvements rights, members and appurtenances whatsoever unto the same parts hereby granted belonging, And the provisions and remainders thereof and all and every the estate and estates, right, title and interest whatsoever of them the said Catherine Hertzell, John Hertzell, Frederick Hertzell, Adam Hertzell, George Hertzell the son, Mathias König and Eva Christine his wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margaretha his wife, George Thierhammer and Susanne his wife, of, in, and to the said tract of land and premises.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said parts and premises hereby granted and released or mentioned or intended to be with the said appurtenances unto the said Jacob Gross, his heirs and assigns to his and their proper use, benefit and behoof forever.

Subject, Nevertheless, to the payment of such sum or sums of money interest and quit rent now due and hereafter to gross due and payable to the Honorable the Proprietaries, their heirs, successors or assigns for and in respect of the hereby granted or mentioned to be granted, and released premises. AND the said Catherine Hertzell, for herself and her heirs, executors and administrators, the said John Hertzell for himself his heirs executors and administrators, the said Frederick Hertzell for himself his heirs, executors and administrators, the said Adam Hertzell for himself his heirs, executors and administrators, the said George Hertzell the son, for himself his heirs executors and administrators and for the said Mathias König his heirs executors and administrators and for the said Eva Christine his wife, her heirs executors and administrators, and for the said Philip Stuber his heirs executors and administrators, and for the said Maria Margretta his wife, her heirs executors and administrators, and for the said George Thierhammer his heirs executors and administrators, and for the said Susanna his wife, her heirs executors and administrators, severally, not jointly or one for the other or one for the heirs executors or administrators or wife or wives of the other, do covenant, promise and grant, to and with the said Jacob Gross his heirs and assigns by these presents that he the said Jacob Gross his heirs and assigns shall and lawfully may from time to time and at all times forever hereafter freely, peaceably and quietly have, hold and enjoy the said above described tract of land, parts and premises hereby granted or maintained to be granted or released and every part and parcel thereof, with the appurtances and receive and take the rents issues and profits thereof without lawful let, suit, trouble or molestation of them the said Catherine Hartzell, John Hertzell, Frederick Hertzell, Adam Hertzell, George Hertzell the son, Mathias König and Eva Christine his wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margretta his wife, George Thierhammer and Susanna his wife, their heirs or assigns or any other person or persons lawfully or rightfullu claiming or to claim, by, for and under them, or any of them, or by or with their or any of their act, means, consent, privity or procurement.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, they the said Catherine Hertzell, John Hertzell, Frederick Hertzell, Adam Hertzell, George Hertzell the son,



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Mathias König and Eva Christine his wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margretta his wife, George Thierhammer and Susanne his wife, have hereunto set their hands and seals the first day of February the ninth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God, King over Great Britian &c., and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & sixty nine.

Catherine Hertzelt  
Johannes Hertzelt  
Frederick Hertzelt  
Adam Hertzelt  
George Hertzelt  
Mathias König  
Christina König  
Margreda Stuberin  
Philip Stuber  
George Thierhammer  
Susanna Thierhammer

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us:

Just. Johnson  
John Oberly

RECEIVED the day of the date of the within & above written Deed Poll and the full sum of Four hundred and one pounds of & from the above named Jacob Gross. It being the consideration money therein mentioned. We say, received by us

Catherine Hertzelt  
Johannes Hertzelt  
Fred Hertzelt  
Adam Hertzelt  
George Hertzelt  
Mathias König  
Christina König  
Philip Stuber  
Margreda Stuberin  
George Thierhammer  
Susanna Thierhammer

MEMORANDUM. The tenth day of September 1771, before me, John Oberly, Esq., one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the County of Northampton personally appeared Just. Johnson of Bethlehem in the County of Northampton imholder, and upon his solemn affirmation according to law, did declare and say that he this affirmant was present and did see the above and within named Catherine Hertzelt, John Hertzelt, Frederick Hertzelt, Adam Hertzelt, George Hertzelt the son, Mathias König and Eva Christine his wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margretta his wife, George Thierhammer and Susanne his wife seal & as their respective act and deed, deliver the above and within written deed poll and <sup>that</sup> his this affirmants name thereunto subscribed as witness is of his own handwriting, and that together with him this affirmant, John Oberly the other subscribing witness likewise signed his name as a witness to such sealing and delivery. WITNESS my hand and seal the day and year abovesaid.

John Oberly (Seal)



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In accordance with the agreement in the Release Deed Jacob Gross assumed the payment of all money due the Proprietaries for this land granted to John George Hertzell, Jr. in 1737. In 1782 (during the Revolution) all payments having been made, the original warrant was returned and the Patent to the land was granted to Jacob Gross by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

THE SUPREME EXECUTIVE COUNCIL  
OF THE  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

KNOW YE, That in Consideration of the Monies heretofore paid by George Hartzell to the Proprietaries at the granting of the warrant herein after mentioned and the sum of One hundred & fifteen pounds Eight shillings lawful Money paid by Jacob Gross into the Receiver Generals office of this Commonwealth being the arrears of Purchase Money and Interest Due thereon there is granted by the said Commonwealth unto the said Jacob Gross A certain Tract of Land called Grosstone situate on a branch of Sacoon Creek formerly in the County of Bucks now Northampton County BEGINNING at a Hickrey sapling A corner of George Kermans Land thence by Nathaniel Irishs Land North sevinty one perches to a Corner post thence West forty five perches to a Corner White Oak thence North one hundred and Twenty three perches to a post thence by vacant Land East one hundred and ninety Two perches to a corner post thence south one hundred and ninety four Perches by vacant and George Hatzells Land to a marked Black Oak A corner of the above said George Kermans Land thence by the same West one hundred and forty seven perches to the Corner Hickery sapling First mentioned and place of beginning CONTAINING Two hundred Acres and allowance of six p-cent for roads & Appertenances (which said Tract of Land was surveyed by virtue of a Warrant Dated the Twentieth day of September 1737 granted to the said George Hatzell Who by dying Intestate after having sold about fifteen Acres which afterwards became Vested in Adam Eldman, Catherine Hatzell Widow & Administratrix of said George, John Hatzell, Frederick Hatzell, Adam Hatzell, George Hatzell, Mathias Kenig and Eva Christine his Wife, Philip Stuber and Maria Margarettta his Wife, George Threshammer and Susanna his Wife, said John Frederick, Adam, George, Eva Christine, Maria Margarettta, and Susanna being children of said Heorge Hatzell did release all there parts and shares in the said Tract of Land to their Brother in Law the said Jacob Gross and the said Adam Eldman Conveyed his fifteen Acre Tract of Land unto the said Jacob Gross by Deed dated the fourteenth day of February instant)

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, The said Tract of Land with the appurtenances, unto the said Jacob Gross and his Heirs to the use of the said Jacob Gross his Heirs and Assigns for ever FREE AND CLEAR of all Restrictions and Reservations, as to Mines, Royalties, Quit-rents or otherwise, excepting and reserving only the fifth part of all Gold and Silver ore for



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the use of the Commonwealth, to be delivered at the Pit's mouth clear of all charges.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, his Excellency William Moore Esquire President of the Supreme Executive Council, hath set his hand and caused the State Seal to be hereto affixed in Council, the fifteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty Two and the Commonwealth the sixth.

ATTEST: Ty Matlock Secy. ENROLLED 14th March 1782.

Wm. Moore (Seal)  
President

The will of Jacob Gross, who died in 1791, divided his estate of 300 acres between his two sons, Jacob Gross, Jr. and Frederick Gross; Frederick receiving the 200 acres of the original tract. A part of this, Frederick Gross and his wife, Catherine, sold to Jacob Oberly, leaving about 128 acres, which is about the size of the tract as it is today.

On the death of Frederick Gross in 1811, the 128 Acres, 2 quarters and 25 perches were sold to Isaac Shimer for \$9,623.50. Jesse Shimer inherited from his parents, Isaac and Susanna Shimer in 1823 and sold it to Jacob Brummer for \$9,409.50. Jacob Brunner, merchant of Easton, and wife Maria, in 1859 sold it to John Knecht of Lower Saucon, whose will, March 1891, left the land to his daughter, Sarah J. Knecht. Her brother, Howard R. Knecht, Executor, "late of Shimmersville", confirmed to A. S. Knecht, April 29, 1891 for \$10,000.00; and A. S. Knecht, attorney-at-law, and wife, confirmed to Howard R. Knecht the next day, April 30, 1891, for \$10,000.00.

In 1915, Howard R. Knecht of Bethelhem, sold the land for \$80,000.00 to the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, which at that time planned to build there. This was not done, however, and the land was used for a tenant farm until recently (1943) when Bethlehem Steel has enlarged its plant and part of the extension is "out Apple Butter Road".

In all these conveyances the property is identified by the Water-right, the spring. The original home of John George Hertzel probably was near this spring, but the exact site has not been located. (History and description of property from Miss Susan Kachline)

The road running from east to west across this land is called Apple Butter Road. Toward the west it divides into two parallel roads which join again near Shimmersville. On the oval plot of ground thus formed, between the Upper and Lower Roads, facing down Apple Butter Road, now (1932) stands an old stone house, said to be 150 years old. On the gable end of the house, near the roof, on a tablet like inset, are the letters "F. G." very plainly to be seen, near the top. "F. G." undoubtedly stands for Frederick Gross, the owner of the property from 1791



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to 1811. Under the "F.G." are some figures, not decipherable, and some more letters, which appear to have been a first initial and a last name.

This old house, built about 1782 according to tradition, was probably the home of Jacob Gross and his wife Magdalena, whose estate was called "Grosstone" in the deed from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 1782. Catherine Hertzell, widow of John George, Jr. and mother of Magdalena, is supposed to have lived here until her death in 1796. Jacob Gross in his will, mentions the room belonging to his mother-in-law, Catherine Hertzell.

A letter written April 10, 1882 by Colonel John Hartzell of Newport, Perry County, Pennsylvania to Rev. J. C. Hartzell, says, in part:

"My Dear Sir-

Yours of the 7th just received. Your request to send you all the principal points of the Hartzells in America. I will what I received from my father and from my uncle Henry Hartzell. My great grandfather" (John George, Jr.) "emigrated to America before the Revolutionary War. He settled in Northampton County. There was a small town built on part of his land and for a long time went by the name of Hartzells Town. In later years the name of the town was changed to Youngwomans Town and from that to Youngmanstown. I have an old map of the state of Pennsylvania in which I find among other towns the name of Hartzellstown. My great grandfather had seven(7) sons, six located in different parts of Pennsylvania as follows: George Hartzell, my grandfather located in Adams Co. on the Opossum Creek eleven miles north of Gettysburg. He had six sons, all of them with the exception of my father and my uncle Jacob lived and died in or near the old homestead.

"My uncle Jacob went west somewhere about the year 1820. He settled in Ohio. He had two sons, Jesse and Josiah. My father came to Perry County in 1823 where two of my brothers, Samuel and Michael, and myself, still reside. My brother Adam went to Iowa in 1844 where he still resides.

"My grandfather' six brothers located as follows: One brother remained with his father in Northampton County. Nathan Hartzell purchased land in Lucern Co., Pa. near Wilkes-Barra. Another of the brothers settled in Northampton Co., near . Another brother settled in . The other two went to Westmoreland Co. One of them was named Adam. One of the two last named was a bachelor ....."

This writer says that John George, Jr. had seven sons, but we find record of only four - those mentioned in the Release Deed as John, Frederick, Adam and George - the last mentioned being the grandfather of the writer of the letter. It is suggested that some of those mentioned in the letter may have been cousins instead of brothers to George III (grandfather of writer). Bible records quoted on page 11 is of family of Lucern County.



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Lines of two of the sons of John George Hertzell, Jr. have been traced: those of Adam as in this compilation; and that of George III. Miss Ada Hartzell of Rhode Island, a daughter of Col. Hartzell, writer of the letter above, is a member of DAR on Revolutionary service of (John) George Hertzell, III.

The following Dryland Church Records of baptisms of children of this John George Hertzell, III (b.1749) and his wife Felicia Kreiling (daughter of Abelard & Sabine Kreiling) will be of interest:

Christine, b. July 11, 1769, Sponsors, Philip Hertzell & Christine.  
 (Philip was son of Jacob, Innkeeper at Hartzells)  
 Matthew, b. July 31, 1770, Sponsors, Matthew König, Christine.  
 (Christine was sister of the father)  
 John George (IV) bp. 1772. Sponsors, Adam Hertzell, Anna Clara.  
 (Adam was brother of the father)  
 John Philip, bp. 1772. Sponsors, Philip Hertzell, Anna Christine.  
 Catherine, b. May 8, 1775. Sponsor, Catherine Hertzell, grandmother.  
 Leonard, b. Sept. 6, 1776. Sponsors, Leonard Knecht, Margaret.  
 (Leonard was son of Christine Hertzell Knecht, who  
 (was daughter of John George Hertzell of Skippack,  
 (so he was a cousin to the father)  
 Sarah, b. Mch. 10, 1778. Sponsors, Adam Braub, Juluanna.  
 John, b. July 1, 1779. Sponsors, John Schwitzer, Catherine.

The Tohickon Church Records show baptism of another grandson of John George Hertzell, Jr.:

John George Gross, son of Jacob & Magdalena (Hertzell) Gross  
 Sponsors, John George Hertzell & wife.

Of the daughters of John George Hertzell, Jr., the line of Susanna Catherine and her 2nd husband, Joseph Owen, has been traced, as mentioned on page 13; sons of Magdalena and her husband Jacob Gross on page 19. Eva Christine and her husband Matthias König moved to Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, where we find that the name of her brother, Adam Hertzell, appears as one of the witnesses to the will of her husband Matthew Koenig of Mount Pleasant Township, Westmoreland County, in 1810.

Some of the descendants of John Adam Hertzell will be found in succeeding pages.

End of Second Generation



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## THIRD GENERATION - Revolutionary Soldier

John Adam<sup>3</sup>Hartzel, Sr. (John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George), born April 24, 1747 at Hertzels, Lower Saucon Township, Bucks (now Northampton) County, Pennsylvania, died January, 1824, Mount Pleasant Township, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, mar. 1768 Anna Maria Clara (Eleanor?) born 1746, died 1820(?). That John Adam Hartzel, Sr. may have been married twice is suggested by the fact that deeds recorded in Westmoreland County, 1808, give his wife's name as Elizabeth. (Deed Book 8, p. 310-11 & Book 11, p. 38) Also a legend in one branch of the family says his wife was Elizabeth Ross, descendant from a brother of Sir Francis Drake.

Like his father and his grandfather, John Adam Hartzel, Sr. dropped his first name of John, and is commonly known as Adam Hartzel. He was by trade a cordwainer (shoemaker) according to the release deed quoted on page 15. His name appears on early tax lists of Northampton County, first in Bethlehem Township and later in adjoining Forks Township where acreage of his farm is listed. References: PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Third Series, Vol. 19:

p. 24 -	Northampton Co.,	1772,	Bethlehem Twp.	Adam Hartzel, Farmer
				Tax L 1, 12 s, 0 d
p. 143 -	"	"	, 1785, Forks Twp.	Adam Hartzel 150 Acres
				2 horses, 3 cattle, Tax L 1, 0 s, 6 d
p. 198 -	"	"	, 1786 Forks Twp.	Adam Hartzel 180 Acres
				2 horses, 2 cattle, Tax L 1, 2 s, 6 d
p. 368 -	"	"	, 1788 Forks Twp.	Adam Hartzel 180 Acres
				2 horses, 3 cattle, Tax L 1, 5 s, 2 d

Adam Hartzel enlisted from Forks Township and served in the American Revolution as: Private, 5th Class, First Company, Second Battalion, Northampton County Militia; Captain Jacob Buss, Colonel Roubp in command. References: PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Fifth Series, Vol. VIII, pp. 131, 143, 201, 211.

The 1790 United States Census of Heads of Families, lists him of Forks Township: 1 male over 16, 3 under, and 4 females.

Records of the First Reformed Church at Easton, Pennsylvania, which includes charges at Williams, Lower Saucon, Plainsfield, Drylands and others, contain names of many members of the Hartzel family, including baptisms of 12 children and burial of one child of Adam and Anna Maria Clara (Eleanor?) Hartzel who attended the German Reformed and Lutheran Church in Hecktown (Drylands) a few miles from "Hartzells". (See note page 13) A copy of these records is to be found in the New York City Library.

## Children

1. Catherine, b. June 12, 1769. Sponsor, Catherine Hartzel (grandmother, widow of John George, Jr.)



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- \*ii. Anna Maria, b. Mch. 30, 1771. Sponsors, John Knecht, Anna Maria.
- iii. Anna, b. Dec. 11, 1772. Sponsors, John George Hertzell, Hannah.
- \*iv. John, b. Sept. 3, '74. Sponsors, John Wolfe, Anna Margret Knecht.
- # v. Sarah, b. Jan. 18, 1776. Sponsors, Philip Wolfe & Elizabeth.
- vi. Maria Margaret, b. Feb. 25, 1778. Sponsors, Martin Gross and Maria Margaret.
- vii. Adam, b. Sept. 4, '80. Sponsors John Ulrich Schleppe, Anna Maria.
- viii. Jonathan, b. May 25, 1782. Sponsors, his parents.
- ix. Leonard, b. Nov. 26, 1783. Sponsors, Leonard Knecht & Margaret. (grandson of Hans Jorg Herzel of Skippack)
- x. John George, b. Jan. 9, 1787. Sponsors, Ulrich Knecht and Eva.
- xi. Balli, b. Feb. 7, 1789. Sponsors, John Ramboch and Balli
- xii. Eva Christine, b. Oct. 6, 1790. Sponsors, Matthew Koenig and (See also Appendix, p. 141) Christine (sister of Adam, Sr.)

"Adam Hartzell, Sr. moved from eastern Pennsylvania and settled in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania in 1794. A deed from Wm. McGary, Sr. to Adam Hartzell, Sr. recites that a tract of land was patented by John Penn the older and John Penn the younger on June 14, 1794 to Wm. McGary, Sr. and by him conveyed to Adam Hartzell, Sr., Nov. 6, 1794. (Deed Book 8, p. 310)

"On August 29, 1808, Adam Hartzell, Sr. divided the above tract among his sons, Adam, Jr., John George (my grandfather), John, and Leonard Hartzell ..... (Deed Book 8, pp. 311, 312, 313)

"Adam Hartzell, Sr. built a stone house on the above tract in which I was born. A tablet in the gable was marked 'A. H. 1804'. The dwelling stood for nearly 100 years.

"The above tract of land was located on the head waters of Sewickly Creek in Mount Pleasant Township, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania."

The above is quoted from a letter written by George S. Rumbaugh of Greensburg, Pennsylvania, July 19, 1929, to Dr. J. Culver Hartzell. John Adam Hartzell, Sr. paid \$663.00 for the land mentioned, which contained 500 acres and was located about 6 miles from Greensburg, county seat of Westmoreland County.

From the time the family moved to Westmoreland County the name was spelled "Hartzel". The next generation added another "l".

The following letter from M. (Michael Bash) Hartzell of Moline, Rock Island County, Illinois, to Mr. John (Col.) Hartzell of Newport, Perry County, Pennsylvania, also gives information regarding Adam Hartzell, Sr. and his sons:

\*Note: In these two entries the name of the mother is given as Eleanor, but it is thought that they are of the same family.

#Note: Under BURIALS AT HECKTOWN: "1790, April 14-In Dryland was buried Sarah Hertzell, a daughter of Adam Hertzell and his wife Clara-Aged 14 years, 3 months less 6 days. Text-II Timothy-2-19". Miss Kachline writes "The Dryland was a term applied to a large section of territory comprising most of Bethlehem, Forks, and Allen Townships in Northampton County, Pennsylvania."



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"Mr. John Hartzell,

Jany 10, 1883

Dear Sir:

Your letter of September last came duly to hand. I delayed writing till after our reunion at Blairsville, Pa., and meeting the Dr. on that occasion. We had a very pleasant time. Was very sorry that you could not meet with us. Nothing could have afforded me more pleasure than to have greeted you and formed acquaintance with you and talked about our forefathers and the name of Hartzell, as you stated that your great grandfather came from Northampton Co., Pa. So, too, my grandfather" (Adam, Sr.) "came from the same place. He moved from there, I should think, about the year 1790, as I often heard my father" (Adam, Jr.) "tell about their moving over the mountains, he being but a boy. My grandfather located lands in Westmoreland Co. 6 mi. from the county seat where now located Greensburg. My grandfather's name was Adam. He had four sons. My father's name was Adam, Jr. John moved to Ohio, lived and died near Canton. The other three settled each on part of the old farm, George, Leonard, and my father. George's family mostly live in the same county still .....

Yours Respectfully  
M. Hartzell."

Of the four sons mentioned, George (John George) was the only one who remained permanently in Westmoreland County. Some of his descendants are given in THE CYCLOPEDIA OF WESTMORELAND CO., PA., by Gressham. Hazel Marie Kreinbock Peohle (Mrs. H.F.), Detroit, Michigan, is a member of the D.A.R. on Revolutionary service of John Adam Hartzel, Sr. through this son, John George born 1787, died 1874, married Susanna Lauffer.

Adam Hartzell, Jr. moved to Rock Island County, Illinois, in 1835, and it is said that John moved to near Canton, Ohio. We have no further data of this John Hartzel, born 1774 (or of Jonathan, born 1782). The will of Jacob Shupe of Unity Township, Westmoreland County, dated August 14, 1810, mentions his daughter, Feronica, wife of John Hartzel.

Leonard also moved west. In 1813 according to Westmoreland County records, Adam, Jr. and George Hartzell gave security to enable their brother Leonard to sell his land. The signature of his wife, Esther, could not be obtained as she had "eloped". In 1822 the records show a release deed from Leonard Hartzell of Start County, Ohio to his brother George of Mount Pleasant Township, in settling of the estate of Adam Hartzell, Sr.

THE GREENSBURG GAZETTE (Westmoreland County) for January 9, 1824 (copy found in State Library at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania) carries a notice of the death of Adam Hartzell, Sr. stating that he died in his 77th year at Mt. Pleasant Township after a lingering illness of nearly 12 years. It further states that he was "an old and respectable inhabitant of Westmoreland County".

End of Third Generation



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## FOURTH GENERATION - "Westward Ho!"

Adam<sup>4</sup>Hartzel, Jr. (John Adam<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 4, 1780, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, died August 22, 1840, Rock Island County, Illinois; married January 1, 1800, Westmoreland County, Catherine<sup>2</sup>Bash (Martin Bash)\*, born September 13, 1783, died March 8, 1851, Moline, Rock Island County, Illinois.

Adam Hartzel, Jr. was probably John Adam, Jr. If so, he dropped his first name of John as did his father, grandfather, and great grandfather, for all records found mention him simply as Adam, Jr. It was during his lifetime that the surname was first spelled Hartzell and that spelling was adopted by descendants.

According to his own story as repeated by his son (page 25) he was "but a boy" (10 to 13) when his parents and family moved from Northampton to Westmoreland County, prior to November, 1794. In 1808 he received his share of the land in Mount Pleasant Township which his father, John Adam, Sr. at that time divided among his four sons. Adam Hartzell, Jr. lived on this land until he and most of his family moved to Illinois in 1835, 1836, and succeeding years.

Among notes of Dr. J. Culver Hartzell (1929) we find:

"Luther's German Bible was used by the Hartzells and the one owned by Adam Hartzell is now in the possession of Dr. J. Culver Hartzell. This copy contains dates of marriage, birth, death and other data of the family of Adam & Catherine Bash Hartzell and were copied from the original records by Michael Bash Hartzell in 1838. This edition was published in 1798".

He quotes this Bible data as follows:

Adam Hartzell, b. Sept. 4, 1780.

Catherine Bash, b. Sept. 13, 1783.  
married January 1st, 1800.

## Children

- i. John, b. May 10, 1801
- ii. Mana Clara, b. Sept. 22, 1802
- iii. a son, b. Nov. 16, 1803
- iv. Sarah, b. June 20, 1805
- v. Martin Bash, b. Jan. 8, 1807
- vi. Abraham, b. Nov. 26, 1808
- vii. Michael Bash, b. Aug. 21, 1810.

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\*Note: PORTRAIT & BIOGRAPHICAL ALBUM OF ROCK ISLAND CO., ILL. gives grandparents of Bishop Hartzell as Adam Hartzell & Catherine Bash. DICTIONARY OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY gives the Bishop's father as Michael Bash Hartzell. See also Bash data, pp 78-94 & Appendix p. 142-3.



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- viii. John Bash, b. June 7, 1812
- ix. Adam Bash, b. Aug. 23, 1814
- x. Catherine, b. July 14, 1816
- xi. David, b. May 18, 1818
- xii. Margaret, b. Dec. 20, 1819
- xiii. Mary, b. Feb. 12 1822
- xiv. Lavina, b. Dec. 31, 1823
- xv. Isaac, b. Oct. 18, 1825
- xvi. Asenath, b. Jan. 16, 1829

A letter written January 10th, 1883 by Adam, Jr.'s son, Michael Bash Hartzell of Rock Island County, Illinois, first part of which was quoted on page 25, continues:

"My father's family is scattered. In 1835 I got the western fever & made my arrangements to go to Illinois. Finally all the family but my oldest brother (he lived and died in Pittsburgh) moved to Illinois. I have three sisters living, four brothers. John and myself live here. Dr. I. N. lives in Desmoin, Iowa. Abraham lives in Denver, Colo. I find men of the name of Hartzell in Davenport, Iowa, just across the river ..... some of the name in different parts of the country .... a hardy, well-to-do, well disposed set of men. .... "\*

The "oldest brother (he lived and died in Pittsburgh)", according to Michael Bash Hartzell, was probably Martin Bash Hartzell b. January 8, 1807. Apparently this Martin Bash Hartzell stayed in Pennsylvania, for we find that he appeared as one of the witnesses in the lawsuit BASH vs BASH, which was tried in Greenburg, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, 1849. #

The John mentioned in the letter as living living in Rock Island County in 1883, was John Bash Hartzell, born June 7, 1812, whose daughter, Mrs. Minnie Wiltamuth, wrote in 1930:

"My father was John Bash Hartzell, one of ten children, five girls and five boys, who came to Moline, Illinois, except my father who settled on land twelve miles further up the river and there his ten children were born. All have passed away except myself. Father was born in 1812 in Penna., and passed away in 1892 .... "

Mrs. Burgston, a granddaughter of Michael Bash Hartzell, writes in 1942:

"Grandpa had a brother, John Hartzell, who lived around Fort Byron or Waterman. He farmed some & was a sort of local preacher .... "

\*Note: Letter concluded on page 35.

#Note: Martin Hartzell of Mt. Pleasant Twp., mar. October 11, 1829 Leah Mechling. For lawsuit see BASH data, pp. 81-82.



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The 1850 U.S. Census of Rock Island County, Illinois, p.254, gives:

John B. Hartzell	48	Farmer	1,000 A.	b. Pa.
Phebe "	39			" "
Hester A. "	13			" Ill.
Rachel E. "	11			" "
Sarah C. "	9			" "
Adam C. "	7			" "
Martha "	5			" "
Andrew D. "	3			" "

This age of 48 for John B. Hartzell is probably an error, as all other records show that John Bash Hartzell was born in 1812, and so would have been only 38 in 1850.

Bishop Joseph Crane Hartzell, a son of Michael Bash Hartzell, writes in 1925:

" ..... In 1835 my father and a brother and sister went to Illinois, Rock Island County, and took us several farms in Rock River Valley near the present site of Moline ..... The next year father and mother were married and they, with several of Father's brothers and two sisters and their husbands migrated to Rock Island County. Besides father there were Abraham, Isaac, John and one or two other brothers ..."

Michael's brother Abraham was a chaplain in the Civil War. His four sons, Cyrus, James, Frank Asbury and Abraham, Jr. also served in the Civil War. The following data regarding Abraham is compiled from the Census of Rock Island County, Illinois for 1850 and 1860, and from THE PERSHING FAMILY IN AMERICA, 1749-1924, by E. J. Pershing, 1924, page 351 (to be found in the Indiana State Library)

Abram (Abraham) Hartzell, born November 20, 1808, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, died 1891, Rock Island County, Illinois. Farmer, 2,000 A., mar. Sarah Pershing, b. 1814 in Pennsylvania.

## Children

Cyrus, b. 1836, Ill., m. Elizabeth Walsh, ch: Cyrus, Frederick, Elmer.

James, b. 1839, Ill., mar. Nellie Merriman, ch: Lester, Harry, Roy.

Mary S., b. 1841, Ill.

Ausbury (Frank Asbury) b. 1843, mar. Hester Morrison, ch.: Francis, Bethel, Herbert, Lester, Shirley.

Amanda, b. 1846, Ill.

Abraham, Jr. b. 1848, m. Ida Ganson, ch: Hamilton, several daughters.

Michael Bash Hartzell in his letter (p.27) says that Abraham lived in Denver, 1883, and that Dr. I. N. Hartzell (Isaac) lived in Des Moines. Michael's brother Adam Bash Hartzell, b. 1814, d. April, 1847, was the fifth brother who came west to Illinois. He is buried in the Hartzell Cemetery in Moline. (See page 36)

One authority quoted (page 27) says that five daughters as



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well as five sons, came west to Illinois, but records have been found of only three of these daughters:

1. Mana Clara Hartzell, b. Sept. 22, 1802, Westmoreland Co., Pa., mar. Abe Frick and came west to Illinois with others in 1836.
2. Catherine Hartzell, b. July 14, 1815, Westmoreland Co., Pa., mar. \_\_\_\_\_ Case, and came to Illinois with others in 1836.
  - i. William Case
  - ii. Loyed Case
  - iii. Martin Case
3. Mary Elizabeth Hartzell, b. Feb. 12, 1822, Westmoreland Co., Pa., d. Sept. 19, 1886, Farnell, Ia., mar. Westmoreland Co., 1839, Elisha DeVinney, d. Port Byron, Ill.
  - i. John Wesley DeVinney, b. 1840, d. 1863, Civil War.
  - ii. Rachel Catherine DeVinney, b. 1842, d. 1912, Grinnel, Ill.
  - iii. William DeVinney, b. 1844, d. 1914, Los Angeles, Calif.
  - iv. Mary Elizabeth DeVinney, b. 1850, d. 1902.
  - v. Rose Ella DeVinney, b. May 17, 1856, d. Nov. 12, 1916, Sheridan, Ia., mar. Nov. 27, 1879, Senora, Iowa, George Powers, d. Farnell, Iowa.
    - i. Lena Marion Powers, b. 1887, mar. 1907, Tama, Ia., Frank A. Christianson
      - i. Aldyce Iola Christianson, b. 1910, Tama, Ia.
      - ii. Wayne Gordon Christianson, b. 1915, Grace City, Ia.
      - iii. Beryl Gladys Christianson, b. 1920, Ruthren, Ia.
    - ii. Adra Alra Powers, b. 1893, mar. 1914, Fred Ferneau
      - i. George Gerald Ferneau, b. 1915, Gilman, Ia.
      - ii. Elmer Ferneau, b. 1918, Gilman, Ia.
  - vi. Cynthia (Asenath) DeVinney, b. 1860, d. 1920, Marshalltown, Ia.

Nothing is known of the other children of Adam Hartzell, Jr. A claim is made by Miss Bernice Burket of Wichita, Kansas, that she is descended from the first born son, John Hartzel. Her data will be found in Miscellaneous, page 74. However it is believed that our John Hartzell, born 1801, died in infancy, for: we find that another son, born 1812, was given the name John Bash Hartzell and was known as John Hartzell; also Michael Bash Hartzell says that his oldest brother, the only one who did not come west, lived and died in Pittsburgh, and we know that his older brother, Martin Bash Hartzell was in Pennsylvania in 1849 and testified in a lawsuit to events taking place there over a number of years preceeding that date, which would show that his home was in that part of the state. (See BASH data, page 81)

When Adam Hartzell, Jr died, his son Michael Bash Hartzell bought out the other heirs and became owner of his father's farm in Rock Island County.

The following is from notes of Bishop Joseph Crane Hartzell, son of Michael Bash Hartzell and grandson of Adam, Jr.:

"In a beautifully shaded graveyard on a hill overlooking the Rock River Valley and on the farm where I was born, I saw



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the tombstone of my father and mother and also of my grandfather and grandmother .....

"On the tombstone of my paternal grandfather and grandmother is the following:

ADAM HARTZELL

September 4, 1780. August 20, 1840

CATHERINE

Wife of Adam Hartzell

Born September 13, 1783. Died March 8, 1851

"The day and the month of her death are blurred. Under this are the following words:

As a wife, devoted  
As a mother, affectionate  
As a friend, ever kind and true"

The obituary of Catherine, written by her son Abraham, was published in the WESTERN CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, Vol. XVIII, No. 18, Wednesday, April 30, 1851, page 72. (Files to be found in Library of De Pauw University at Greencastle, Indiana)

March 15 - In Moline, Rock River conference, at the residence of her son, Michael Hartzell, Catherine Hartzell, widow of Adam Hartzell - who died ten years ago - and daughter of Martin and Catherine Bash.

We believe mother Hartzell was born in Pennsylvania, as we find her youth and early life were spent in Westmoreland county, in that state. She was among the pioneers of that then new country; remembered many scenes of Indian troubles; but would dwell with delight upon her early experiences in religion. The family to which she belonged were of the first fruits of Methodism in that county. On the first day of the year 1800 she was joined in matrimony to her partner in life, and then removed to another part of the country. The people of her choice were not to be found conveniently, and she joined the Lutherans. With them she remained till the year 1831, when herself, her husband, and most of their large family, were brought to a saving acquaintance with the blessed Redeemer. In 1835, the parents, with most of the children and grandchildren immigrated into Rock Island County, Ill., then altogether a new country. Here the family and a few kindred spirits were formed into a class. Mother Hartzell almost closed her three-score year and ten, and did patiently wait till her deliverer came to take his exile home. During the last winter she failed under the weight of many years of toil and anxiety, till the 12th of March, from an apoplectic attack. She sunk fast, and spoke but little; but when roused to sensibility she gave the fullest assurance that all was well.

Abraham Hartzell

End of Fourth Generation.



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## FIFTH GENERATION - Michael &amp; Nancy Hartzell

Michael Bash<sup>5</sup> Hartzell (Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George, Sr.) born August 21, 1810, Mt. Pleasant Township, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, died August 20, 1899, Moline, Rock Island County, Illinois; married May 5, 1836, Blairsville, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, Nancy Worman Stauffer (Stauffer) born October 5, 1816, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, died October 13, 1909, Moline, Illinois.

Nancy Worman Stauffer was the child of John Stauffer, Jr. born 1792, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, died 1871, Westmoreland County, and his wife Margaret Worman, born 1794, died 1891, married 1814; and the grandchild of John Stauffer, Sr., born 1760, Berks (Lancaster?) County, Pennsylvania, died 1837, Westmoreland County, and his wife Nancy Ann Shallenberger of Lancaster County, born 1765, died 1825, Westmoreland County, married 1790. John Stauffer, Sr. served in the American Revolution. Reference: PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Fifth Series, Vol. V, p. 247; Vol. VII, pp. 617, 700, 756, 784 and 880. \*

Her maternal grandparents were George Worman, Jr., born 1852, Northampton County, Pennsylvania (Fredericks County, Maryland?) died March 13, 1824, Mt. Pleasant, Pennsylvania, and his wife, Catherine Yurts, born 1756, died November 26, 1834, married 1780. George and Catherine Worman are buried in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. George Worman, Jr. served in the American Revolution. References: PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Fifth Series, Vol. IV, p. 698; Vol. VIII, p. 115. #

Nancy's paternal grandmother, Nancy Ann Shallenberger, was the daughter of Jacob Shallenberger, born 1724, Switzerland, died 1812, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and his wife, Anna; and the granddaughter of Ulrich Shallenberger, died 1758, and his wife Maria. Ulrich Shallenberger and his family arrived in Philadelphia on the Ship Molly and he qualified, September 30, 1727. Jacob Shallenberger served in the American Revolution. References: PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Vol. VII, p. 433. His will was probated November 5, 1812 and is recorded in the Register's Office at Lancaster, Pennsylvania. @

Michael Bash Hartzell was the first to spell the family surname with two l s. This spelling was adopted by others of his generation and their descendants continue to spell the name Hartzell. As far as is known Michael never used his middle name of Bash, and he abbreviated his first name using only the initial "M". In all existing examples of his signature, he has signed simply "M. Hartzell".

\* Note: For Stauffer data see page 98

# Note: For Worman data see page 105

@ Note: For Shallenberger data see page 108.



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Michael was by trade a carpenter and cabinet maker. In 1832 he prepared a "Bill of Rates" for joiners, the title page of which read:

BILL OF RATES  
Appointed by the  
House Joiners of the  
County of Indiana  
Adopted in the Year 1825  
Done by Michael Hartzell  
November 17, 1832

In 1835 he "got the western fever" according to his letter quoted on page 27, and, accompanied by his parents, two brothers and a sister migrated to the Rock River Valley in Illinois, where they settled on adjoining farms. At this time, Michael built a plastered cabin, the first plastered dwelling in all that section of Illinois.

The next year he returned to Pennsylvania and on May 5th, 1836, he and Nancy Worman Stoffer (Stauffer) were married by Rev. Wesley Smith in Blairsville, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. This is according to their Family Bible which, with much other source material is now (1942) owned by a granddaughter, Mrs. Fred A. Burgston of Moline, Illinois.

The notes of Dr. J. Culver Hartzell, a grandson, say that the ceremony was performed by Rev. Wakefield.

A few days after the wedding, Michael and his bride, with a party of relatives and friends from near Blairsville, started on a six weeks journey to new homes in Illinois. They traveled by canal boat to Pittsburgh, then by steamboat down the Ohio River and up the Mississippi to the mouth of the Rock River in Illinois.\* There, five or six families settled on rich Rock River bottom land, about two miles from Black Hawk's "Watch Tower", paying \$1.25 an acre for their land. (HISTORY OF ROCK ISLAND COUNTY, ILLINOIS, page 371)

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\* Note: Among this party were the families of Mark Frick, Abe Frick (whose wife, Mana Clara, was a sister to Michael), \_\_\_\_\_ Spencer, and \_\_\_\_\_ Case (whose wife Catherine was Michael's sister) and, according to letter on page 28, several brothers of Michael. The Spencer family was not related, and the Mark Frick family was not related at that time, although later one of the Frick sons married Maggie Rugh, who had been raised by her aunt, Nancy Stoffer Hartzell after the death of Maggie's mother, Mary Stoffer Rugh, a sister to Nancy. Mary Stoffer married Daniel Rugh in 1836, the same year that Nancy Stoffer married Michael Hartzell, and the Rugh family may have been among the party which came west in that year.  
(See STAUFFER, page 101)



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The plastered cabin to which Michael brought his bride, stood near an old Indian trail. Nancy had brought with her from Pennsylvania, an iron stove, the first in that neighborhood. The bread that she baked in the oven was particularly delicious, and a novelty to the Indians who often stopped at the cabin as they went by on the trail. Nancy always gave some of her bread to these visitors, even if it was the last she had in the house. One day a big Indian brave brought four ponies and wanted to trade them to Michael for his "squaw who make bread". (Story from Mrs. Burgston, 1942)

Nancy and Michael Hartzell lived in this cabin for a few years, then moved to Davenport, Iowa, just across the Mississippi River and lived there for a few years.

In 1840 Michael's father, Adam Hartzell, Jr. died. Soon after that date Michael bought out the other heirs to his father's estate and moved back to Rock Island County, Illinois. The United States Census Report of Rock Island County for 1860 gives: Michael Hartzell, 4900 Acres.

It is said that Michael, about this time, built the first two-storied house in Rock Island County. This house had grazed windows, which were unusual at this time in the west. When the city of Moline was laid out, Michael platted some of his land which became a part of the city.

The following records of the births of their children are from the Family Bible of Michael and Nancy Hartzell, which, in 1942, was in the possession of their granddaughter, Mrs. Fred A. Burgston of Moline, Illinois:

## Children

1.	i.Margaret Stauffer,	b.May 22,1837,	Rock Island Co.,Ill.	
2.	ii.John Wesley	b.Oct.14,1838,	Muskatine Co., Iowa.	
3.	iii.Michael Bash,Jr.	b.Nov.20,1840,	d. July 28,1841	
4.	iv.Joseph Crane	b.June 1,1842,	Rock Island Co.,Ill.	
5.	v.Mary Catherine	b.June 9,1844,	" " "	"
6.	vi.Charles	b.Dec.18,1846,	d. Aug. 1, 1848	
7.	vii.Asenath Irene	b.Feb. 1,1848,	Rock Island Co.,Ill.	
8.	viii.Lydia Eva	b.Jan.31,1850,	" " "	"
9.	ix.Alice Luella	b.Mch. 1,1852,	" " "	"
10.	x.Lizzie Palissa)twins	b.Feb.14,1854,	" " "	"
11.	xi.Lilly Malissa )			
12.	xii.Nancy Estelle	b.Nov.8,1856,	" " "	"
13.	xiii.Harry Frank	b.Sept.8,1859	" " "	"

The oldest daughter, Margaret, was the first white girl born in Rock Island County. The first white child was Ed. Spencer, whose parents had come to Rock Island County with Michael & Nancy in 1836.

It is told of this family of children that one of their



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favorite games was that of playing Sunday School, the singing being led by "Magi", the oldest daughter, and the preaching by the little "Joel", who in his adult years became one of the foreign bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church. (Story told by "Magi", the grandmother of this compiler)

Michael and Nancy were devout Methodists and their children were raised in that faith. Michael Hartzell organized and superintended the first Methodist Episcopal Sunday School in Rock Island County, and often took long journeys on horseback to attend Quarterly meetings.

The following is from notes left by Bishop Hartzell;

"My parents visited their old home near Blairsville, Pa. in 1852 and also in 1871. On their first trip, I was lost in a crowd in St. Louis when they were returning. They had gone to a large store in the city to do some purchasing and while busy I got away from them and finally got out on the street, and it was some time before I was found being led by a young woman. When my father and mother returned with me to the ship, Mother sat down with me and the other two children, Margaret and Wesley, and began to cry. Seeing this an old negro chambermaid had a hearty laugh and said, "Oh Honey, what youall cryin' for, now, when youall got all your chulun wif you?"."

The Bishop was ten years old at the time of this incident.

As the Hartzell children were raised in Moline, their father, Michael, became a prosperous citizen, owning a large farm, and a cabinet making establishment. Several lovely peices of mahogany furniture, made in his shop, are now treasured by descendants.

An old chair, once used by this family, and still as sturdy as the day it was made, is now in the possession of a granddaughter, Mrs. Tatman of Wichita. This chair was originally painted green with gold bandings, and was one of a set of twelve chairs and a table, said to have been among the furniture brought from Pennsylvania by Michael and Nancy when they originally came to Illinois in 1836.

It is remembered by a great grandson, Walter H. Hyde of Wichita, that Michael had a terraced orchard behind his home in Moline, and that horseshoes, nails, and other pieces of iron, were hund in the crotches and branches of the fruit trees so that the rain would wash rust into the soil and the trees would receive the needed amount of iron to bear well.

During and at the close of the Civil War, many wounded soldiers were invalided to the military hospital on the Island near Fort Rock Island. Michael and Nancy often invited several of these soldiers to their home for Sunday dinners. Three of the Hartzell daughters met their future husbands in this way.



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The three oldest Hartzell children had been married before the Civil War: Margaret S. in 1856; and Mary Catherine and her brother John Wesley at a double wedding ceremony on Christmas Day in 1860.

There was visiting back and forth between the family of Michael and Nancy Hartzell and families of their Hartzell, Bash, and Stauffer relatives in nearby parts of Illinois and Iowa. One such visit, made by Michael and his brother Abraham from Denver, to Bash cousins in Winterset, Madison County, Iowa is mentioned in the following letter written in 1880 by Sarah Bashaba(Hogle)Murphy (Mrs.T.P.) whose mother Barbara (Smith) Hogle was a daughter of Barbara(Bash)Smith\*, who was a sister to Catherine(Bash)Hartzell, mother to Michael. The writer of the letter was 19 years old at the time of writing:

"Sunday evening two of Ma's and Uncle James' cousins came out to Uncle's and Pa and Ma went over to supper. Monday morning Ma and I washed, baked bread, pie and cake, as they were coming here to stay all night and Pa, Ma, Uncle Will and Aunt Lib were invited to Uncle James for dinner. And Uncle and Aunt came with them for supper last night. And today Uncle Will and Aunt Lib, Uncle Jimmy and Aunt Martha and Ma are at Mel's for dinner. They are two old gentlemen. They are brothers of Mr.Hartzel of Des Moines. One is from Illinois and one from Colorado. They are such good old gentlemen, I can't help loving them. They made me promise to go up to Mel's this afternoon before they would leave ...." #

Michael's letter of 1883, partly quoted on pages 25 and 27, continues:

"Dr. I. N. lives in Desmoin, Iowa. Abraham lives in Denver ..... We are having quite cold weather. Good sleighing. We are in the midst of a revival meeting. We expect the good Lord will remember us in mercy and save sinners and sanctify believers ...."

Yours Respectfully,  
M. Hartzell "

On Wednesday, May 5th, 1886, Michael and Nancy celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary. According to the newspaper story, three of their sons, the Rev.Dr.J.C.Hartzell of Cincinnati, J.W.Hartzell and H.F.Hartzell of Kansas, and five of their seven living daughters attended the celebration. In 1896, Michael and Nancy celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary. Bishop Hartzell and five of his sisters were present on that occasion. This compiler has in her possession photographs and other mementoes of that celebration, as well as of the celebration of Nancy's 92nd birthday in 1908. (See also Appendix,p.144)

\*Note: SMITH FAMILY HISTORY being compiled by Miss Margaret Ruth Waters of Indianapolis & D.A.Murphy of Oswego,Kans.

#Note:For persons mentioned in letter see BASH data,pp.86-88.



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Eleven of the thirteen children of Michael and Nancy reached mature years and several of them passed the 75 year mark. Michael himself lived to be 89 and his wife Nancy to be 93 years of age.

When the city of Moline was platted, Michael gave to the city for a cemetery, a part of his land where his father Adam Hartzell, Jr. had been buried. Besides his father, his mother, Catherine, his brother Adam, Michael himself, his wife Nancy, and several of their children are also buried in this cemetery, which was called the Hartzell Cemetery.

A friend writes (1942) that she had difficulty in locating this cemetery, but when she learned that the name had been changed to Rock River View Cemetery, she was surprised to find that it was in the city and that she had passed it many times in her search:

"I spent the afternoon wandering around one of the loveliest cemeteries I have ever seen, It is located high on a hill overlooking the Rock River and you can see for miles and miles around. It is beautifully kept. Lots of trees and evergreens. It sort of nestles in this hill ..... I am going up there again ..... Have information of all names in the Hartzell family, in two different sections ..... The cemetery is a very small one. The tombstones are all very weatherbeaten and I could not make out the verses on them .. .. Had to trace the engraving with a pencil .... "

As copied by their son, Bishop Joseph Crane Hartzell and verified in 1942, the inscription on their tombstone reads:

MICHAEL HARTZELL

August 21, 1810. August 20, 1899

and

HIS WIFE NANCY

October 5, 1816. October 13, 1909

End of Fifth Generation



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## SIXTH GENERATION - Children of Michael &amp; Nancy

## 1st Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

1. Margaret Stauffer<sup>6</sup>Hartzell (Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George), born May 22, 1837, Rock Island County, Illinois, died March 6 (May 18?) 1916, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, while visiting her youngest daughter. She was married (1st) March 27, 1855 (56), Moline, Illinois, by M.F. Havermah, to Thomas A. Jackson, born October, 1825-28-30, Philadelphia(?), Pennsylvania, died May 21 (28), 1863, Moline, Illinois. She married (2nd) January (June) 30, 1867, in Moline, Dorman Arthur Holt, born June 18, 1835, New York State, died in Moline, January 19, 1898.

Thomas A. Jackson is said to have come from Philadelphia. The 1860 Census of Rock Island County, page 565, says he came from Pennsylvania and was age 29 at that time, which would make his birth date 1830 (born in October, Census taken in July). This age as given in the Census is probably an error as the age of his wife is given incorrectly.

The inscription on his tombstone in the Hartzell (now Rock River View) Cemetery is badly weatherworn but appears to read: "Died May 23, 1863, Age 35 years". This would make the year of his birth 1828 (Oct.). The Family Record Sheet says that he was born October, 1825, and died May 21, 1863. This uncertainty as to his birth date has added to the difficulty in finding early records of Thomas A. Jackson. No record has been found of his prior to his marriage in Moline in 1855 (56?)

Some years after his death, perhaps about 1890, his son, Charles W. Jackson visited an "Uncle Henry Jackson" who had a store on the South Side in Chicago where he sold, among other things, supplies to students at the University. This uncle, at that time told Charles W. Jackson: that his father had another brother, Charles M. Jackson of Philadelphia (for whom Charles W. had been named) who had been the owner of a small bitters manufacturing company, which had been sold to a larger company, C.W. Jackson thought to the Hoffman Bitters Company; and that these three brothers, Thomas, Charles M. and Henry had a sister named Jessie, Julia or Janett (C.W. does not remember exactly which) who, all her life, was a school teacher in Philadelphia.

Some research has been done for this Jackson family in Philadelphia, and the only record found so far, which may be of help, is in the Philadelphia Census for 1850:

Charles M. Jackson,	Medicines,	120 Mulberry St.
	age 30	born N. J.
wife Catherine	" 25	" Pa.
Joseph	" 3	" Pa.
Charles	" 1	" "



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Also, in the family of John and Matilda Palmer, were found:

Sarah Jackson	Age 66	born N. J.
Janett Jackson	" 34	" Pa.
Francis H. Jackson	" 25	" "

If this is the family of Thomas A. Jackson, he probably had already started for the west by 1850 and that is the reason we do not find him in the Philadelphia Census. He is not in the 1850 Census of Rock Island County, Illinois, either.

After coming to Illinois, Thomas A. Jackson operated a cooper show, located near the Mississippi River on ground that is now occupied by the Deere Manufacturing Company. He employed about 50 men making barrels to be used by the nearby flour mills for shipping flour. At that time Moline was an important city in manufacturing and in river shipping.

An old photograph shows Thomas A. Jackson to have been a brunette, with dark hair and a full beard. It is said that he had a good deal of color in his cheeks. Most of the Hartzell children, including Margaret, were blonds. A friend writes that "Thomas and Maggie were a fine looking couple" and that "he was such a hand to quote Shakespeare when young folks came to the house. He had come west for his health and died very suddenly of a hemorrhage, after leading the church choir at Sunday service in May, 1863."

During the years that she was a widow, Margaret(Hartzell) Jackson and her three small children lived with her parents Michael and Nancy Hartzell, and she taught school.

Dorman Arthur Holt, whom Margaret(Hartzell) Jackson married in 1867, was a member of the 12th New York Infantry during the Civil War. He was in the battles of Gettysburg and Appomattox, fought through the war and was wounded. Later, he was officer stationed at the Rock Island Arsenal where it is said that he served the first rations to soldiers stationed there.

## Children of Thomas A. Jackson

- 14. i. Julia Ella Jackson, b. Dec. 13, 1856, Moline, Ill.
- 15. ii. Charles Walter Jackson, b. Aug. 2, 1858, " "
- 16. iii. Addie Luella Jackson, b. Sept. 13, 1860, " "

## Children by Dorman Arthur Holt

- 17. iv. Frederick Dorman Holt, b. Mch. 28, 1870, Moline, Ill.
- 18. v. Gertrude Estella Holt, b. June 20, 1872, " "



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## 2nd Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

2. John Wesley<sup>6</sup>Hartzell (Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George), born October 14, 1838, Muscatine County, Iowa, died December 8, 1906, Vallejo, California. His ashes were buried in the Hartzell (now Rock River View) Cemetery in Moline, Illinois.

We was married (1st) December 25, 1860 by Rev. E. Wasmuth, in Moline, to Elizabeth M. (or A.) Watt, who was called "Lizzie Bell". This was a double wedding, on Christmas Day, his sister Mary & Lafaette Wear being married on the same day.

Of this first marriage of John Wesley Hartzell, two sons were born dead. After the death of Elizabeth in September, 1863, he was married (2nd) to Alice Carey (Mrs.) who is spoken of as "a very red headed lady". They lived in Topeka, Kansas and were divorced, probably in Topeka.

He was married (3rd) about 1880-82, probably in Topeka, to Jennie R. Walling (Mrs.) a widow with a daughter, Grace Walling. Mrs. Jennie R. Hartzell died in Vallejo, California, prior to September 20, 1933. Her estate was probated on that date in Fairfield, California.

John Wesley Hartzell, known as "Col. Hartzell" or as "J. W.", was raised, educated and married in Moline, Illinois. He engaged in farming, in school teaching, and in the livery business there before moving to Topeka, Kansas, in 1876, as proprietor of the Teft House, and early day hotel which was political headquarters for the state. In 1878 and 1880 he bought out the Topeka Omnibus Company and Bolmar's Freight City Line and incorporated them as the Topeka Transportation Company with himself as president and general manager and his younger brother, H. F. as secretary and treasurer. He also operated a large freight warehouse and handled and shipped freight for the Santa Fe Railroad. He projected and built the City Water Works, the Topeka Street Railroad, and established Hartzell Park, a pleasure resort on Soldiers' Creek.

About 1882 he sold his Topeka holdings and moved to Wichita, where, backed by S. L. Davidson and associates, he took over a small mule drawn street railway line which he greatly extended and electrified. This was said to be the first electric street railway line in the United States. He also built Hartzell Park, a pleasure resort located in South Riverside Park in Wichita, which was reached by one of his car lines. He also built car lines in Emporia, Kansas, and in Carthage, Missouri, and in Rock Island, Illinois.

At the collapse of the "Boom" in Wichita, about 1888, he and his family moved to California, where he first engaged in mining in Pumas County, and later promoted and built several street car lines and railroads including the San Francisco and



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San Mateo Electric Railway; the pioneer electric line of San Francisco in 1891; the Stockton-Lodi Terminal Railroad; the water works in Ukiah; and the Vallejo Benicia & Napa Valley Railroad. It is said that he projected over twenty five railroad, waterworks and various corporate interests of more or less magnitude, and all successfully.

The San Francisco Chronicle of August 27, 1892, says: "Mr. Hartzell is a man of striking appearance, his handsome face bespeaks the energy, force of character and irresistible will power which overcome all obstacles ....."

In California the family lived in Stockton, and in Vallejo. Pictures and clippings of "Col." J.W.Hartzell will be found in the Sedgwick County Historical Museum in Wichita, Kansas, where he is still remembered as a picturesque personality of the early "Boom" days.

### Step - Daughter

Grace Walling - generally known as Grace Walling Hartzell. It is said that J. W. Hartzell adopted her soon after his marriage to her mother, but her name is on the Register of The St. John's Episcopal Church in Wichita, Kansas, 1887, as: Grace Walling. However, she was married under the name of Grace Walling Hartzell, in June, 1893, to Francis Pratt Britton of New York, according to the San Francisco Examiner. She and Mr. Britton were later divorced. When her mother's will was probated in Fairfield, California, Grace's address was given as New York. Unable to locate her or her descendants.

### Daughters

- i. Jane Britton, (Janey), born about 1894. Said to have been married and to be acting in moving pictures in Hollywood, California, about 1925.
- ii. Frances Britton, said to have taken a nursing course in New York City, probably about 1920.

### 3rd Child of Michael & Nancy

3. Michael Bash<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, Jr., b. Nov. 20, 1840, d. July 28, 1841



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## 4th Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

4. Joseph Crane<sup>6</sup>Hartzell (Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born June 1, 1842, Moline, Illinois, died September 6, 1923, Blue Ash, Ohio, a suburb of Cincinnati. He married in Chicago, November 14, 1869, Jennie Culver, born August 6, 1844, Niles Center, Cook County, Illinois, died January 27, 1916, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, while visiting her youngest son. Both are buried in the Rose Hill Cemetery in Chicago.

Joseph Crane Hartzell received his A.B. degree from Illinois Wesleyan and his B.D. degree from Garrett Biblical Institute in Chicago, 1868. His first pastorate was in Pekin, Illinois in 1868, then in 1870 he and Mrs. Hartzell moved to New Orleans where he was pastor of the Ames Methodist Episcopal Church on St. Charles Avenue for three years. In 1874 he became District Superintendent of several churches of New Orleans and in 1883 the family moved to Cincinnati, Ohio where he became Secretary of the Freeman's Aid and Southern Educational Society. In 1896 the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church elected the Reverend Hartzell as Missionary Bishop of Africa. \*

Establishing his official residence at Funchal, Madeira Island, the Rt. Rev. Bishop Hartzell made thirteen tours of the continent of Africa, superintending and extending missionary work there. He founded an industrial school in Angola Province, a mission press at Johannesburg, a hospital at Mozambique, an agrical experimental station in Rhodesia and a mission school in Algeria. In these projects he had the backing of Cecil Rhodes, Clemenceau and other world powerful figures of his time, including the heads of all the European governments, especially that of Portugal.

Every second summer, Bishop Hartzell would return to the United States for a visit with his family and to speak in various pulpits over the country, telling of the missionary work in Africa.

His wife, Jennie Culver Hartzell, was an enthusiastic and capable worker in religious and social circles. She was one of the founders of the Womans' Home Missionary Society in Cincinnati in 1880. During the years her husband was Bishop of Africa, she maintained the home in Cincinnati although she made several trips to Africa with him and also spent some time in Europe. Her death came just four months before his retirement in 1916, a time to which they both had looked forward, as they expected to be united again after twenty years of separation, except for his short visits home and her occasional trips abroad. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, being de-

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\* Note: See also WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA, and CYCLOPEDIA OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY. ( See also Appendix, pp. 145-7)



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scended from paternal ancestors Culver and De Bris (Breece) who fought in the American Revolution.

The following is quoted from a newspaper of Moline, Illinois, published in June, 1942:

"One hundred years ago this June the late Bishop Joseph C. Hartzell of the Methodist Church was born in Moline. Possibly one of Moline's most widely known sons, Bishop Hartzell was particularly famous as a missionary bishop to Africa, where he was knighted by the Liberian government as Knight Commander of the Order for Redemption of Africa. He was also widely acclaimed as the hero of a disaster on Lake Michigan in 1863 when he rescued four men from drowning.

"Educated in the Moline high school, Illinois Wesleyan University and Garrett Biblical Institute he was the recipient of numerous honorary degrees. Active with the promotion of educational institutions among the freemen following the Civil War he was at one time trustee of forty-five schools and colleges in the southern states. While in Louisiana he founded the Southwestern Christian Advocate.

"Fraternally Bishop Hartzell was widely known as a thirty second degree Mason and as one-time national president of his college fraternity, Phi Gamma Delta. Recently Bishop Hartzell has been called to mind in the book and motion picture, "One Foot In Heaven" in which he is mentioned as the preacher who converted the hero of the story from a career in medicine to one in the pastorate. The author, Hartzell Spence, was named for him.

"Bishop Hartzell's death occurred in his 87th year in 1928 near Cincinnati in consequence of a vicious attack by robbers!"

### Children

19. i. Joseph Culver Hartzell, b. Sept. 10, 1870, New Orleans, La.
20. ii. John Wesley Hartzell, b. August 10, d. Aug. 27, 1873, "
21. iii. Jennie Culver Hartzell, b. Sept. 23, 1874, d. Jan. 15, 1875.
22. iv. Morton Culver Hartzell, b. Feb. 17, 1876, New Orleans, La.
23. v. Robert Culver Hartzell, b. Oct. 9, 1879, Chicago, Ill.

### 5th Child of Michael & Nancy

5. Mary Catherine<sup>6</sup> Hartzell (Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>; John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George), born June 9, 1844, Moline, Illinois, died July 28, 1906, Quincy, Illinois, married (1st) Lafayette Wear (Lafayette Ware) born in Kentucky, died February 15, 1873. This was a double wedding on Christmas Day, 1860 with her brother John Wesley Hartzell and Elizabeth Watt being married by the same ceremony.

Mary and Lafayette Ware lived in Tipton and In Clarence,



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Iowa, where they owned the only two storied house in town. It was said that he had the finest horses in the State of Iowa, and was so proud of them that he named his son for his two favorites, Clydedale and Normandale. Mary and her first husband were separated for some years before his death in 1873. During this time she and her two small children lived with her parents in Moline, Illinois.

She married(2nd) October 5, 1874, probably in Moline, John Rapp, Jr., born September 27, 1840, Warren, Pennsylvania, died 1923, Quincy, Illinois. John Rapp, Jr. had moved with his parents from Pennsylvania to Geneseo, Illinois, where he was raised. He served in the Civil War, Company F., 9th Illinois Cavalry.

About 1889 John and Mary Rapp and family moved to Edwards County, Kansas, where they took up land near Offerly.\* It is said that the first year they lived in Kansas, the grasshoppers came in hords and destroyed everything in the fields, and that their families in Illinois sent them food for the winter. A cousin, Mrs. Tatman, tells of visiting the Rapp family on this farm at the time the second Rapp son was born. She remembers seeing Clyde Ware, then just a boy, plowing with oxen.

In the winter of 1886-87, the Rapp family moved to Dodge City, Kansas. It is said that Mr. Rapp was in the lumber business and that his was the first frame house built in the town where all other homes were sod houses. (See Appendix, p. 144)

In 1893, John Rapp, Jr. was Commander of Lewis Post, G.A.R. of Dodge City (Dodge City Daily Globe, April, 1942). Mr. and Mrs Rapp were both prominent workers in the Methodist Church in Dodge City. Mary Hartzell Rapp died of injuries received in a street car accident in Quincy, Illinois. She is buried in the Hartzell (now Rock River View) Cemetery in Moline, Illinois.

## Children by Lafayette Ware

24. i. Clyde Norman Ware, born March 7, 1865, Tipton, Iowa  
 25. ii. Maude Ware born probably " "

## Children by John Rapp, Jr.

26. iii. Donald J. Rapp. born Oct. 20, 1876, Moline, Ill.  
 27. iv. Arthur Hartzell Rapp, b. Oct. 30, 1879, Edwards Co., Kans.  
 28. v. Florence Elizabeth Rapp, b. Dec. 25, 1882, " " "

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\* Note: It is said that several couples from Geneseo, Ill., including Mr. & Mrs. Rayy, Mr. & Mrs. Taylor, Mr. & Mrs. Offerly, settled in western Kansas and founded the town of Offerly; that Mrs. Taylor was a cousin to Mary Hartzell Rapp, having been before her marriage a Miss Fleming (See STAUFFER, p. 101); that a Taylor daughter married an Offerly son and lived in Fort Collins, Colorado.



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## 6th Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

6. Charles<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, b.Dec.18,1846, d.Aug.1,1848

## 7th Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

7. Asenath Irene<sup>6</sup>Hartzell(Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George)born February 1,1848, Moline,Illinois, died 1932, age 84, Kansas City,Missouri, married September 21,1870(71), William W. Wallace, born February 16,1843, Wellsville, Brook County, West Virginia,died October 1,1925, Kansas City, Kansas.

Mr. Wallace was a descendant of the Scotch Covenanters, Wm. Wallace, who with his family took refuge in Ireland and later migrated to America, settling on a farm near Wellsville, West Virginia. Here his son Samuel, who married Sarah Jane, was born. They were the parents of William W. Wallace and his brother, John A., who married Lizzie Hartzell, sister of Asenath. When William Wallace was eight years old, his father and family removed to Albia, Iowa, and at the age of 18, he began teaching music at Washington, Iowa. To this profession his whole life was devoted. In later life he became a voice teacher and a composer and director of church music. In 1864 he enlisted from Washington, Iowa, in Company H, 2nd Iowa Infantry, and fought through the Civil War. He was with General Sherman on his famous "March to the Sea" and thence to Washington, D. C. to participate in the Grand Parade in that city.

Asenath Hartzell Wallace was active in the suffrage movement and was, for some time, a national lecturer on the temperance movement. In both of these activities she was inspired and encouraged by her husband.

## Children

- 29. i. Ralph Hartzell Wallace, b.Apr.18, d.Aug.17,1874
- 30. ii. Stella Hartzell Wallace b.Nov.13, d.Nov.24,1877
- 31. iii. Asenath Hartzell Wallace, b.Apr.19,1879, Chicago, Ill.

## 8th Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

8. Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell (Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born January 31,1850 Moline,Illinois, died February 20,1913, Kansas City,Kansas, married September 25,1865(6) Moline,Illinois, Thomas Jefferson Hayes of Pleasantville,Ohio, born October 4,1844, Perry County Ohio, died June 4,1917, while visiting his son Clyde in Du-buque, Iowa.



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Mr. Hayes served in the Civil War, enlisting from Pleasantville, Ohio, before he was of enlistment age. He was invalided to the hospital of Rock Island Arsenal on an island in the middle of the Mississippi River near Moline. Michael Hartzell often invited some of the soldiers from the Arsenal to his home for Sunday dinner. Thomas Hayes was among those invited, and so met Michael's daughter, Lydia Eva, whom he later married.

After their marriage, the young couple first made their home with his father, John Hayes, on a farm just out of Pleasantville, Ohio; moving from there to Topeka, Kansas; then to Louisville, Kansas; to Kansas City, Kansas; and then to Osawatomie, Kansas; and back to make a permanent home in Kansas City, Kansas. They were members of the Methodist Church.

Lydia Evelyn was commonly called Eva (pronounced Evva). Some records give her name as Lydia Avaline. She is buried in the Hartzell (now River View) Cemetery in Moline. The inscription on her tombstone reads:

## MOTHER

Le Valine Hartzell  
Hayes

1850-1913

## Children

- |                              |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| 32. i. May Zelda Hayes       | b. Feb. 25, 1867, Pleasantville, Ohio  |
| 33. ii. Estella Hayes        | b. Jan. 10, 1869, " "                  |
| 34. iii. John Clyde Hayes    | b. Dec. 23, 1870, " "                  |
| 35. iv. Harry Blaine Hayes   | b. Sept. 17, 1874, " "                 |
| 36. v. Lotta Faye Hayes      | b. Jan. 2, 1881, Topeka, Kansas        |
| 37. vi. Glenn Hartzell Hayes | b. Sept. 16, 1887, Louisville, Kansas. |
|                              | d. Oct. 3, 1888.                       |

## 9th Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

9. Alice Luella<sup>6</sup>Hartzell (Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George), born March 1, 1852, Moline, Illinois, died July 13, 1933, Moline, Illinois, married December 22, 1870, Leonard Lewis McCoy, born May 14, 1843, Cadiz, Ohio, died November 24, 1926. They made their home in Moline.

## Children

- |                               |                                       |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 38. i. Rolland Hartzell McCoy | b. Sept. 23(4), 1871(3), Moline, Ill. |
| 39. ii. George Leonard McCoy  | b. Sept. 22, 1873(4), " "             |



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10th & 11th Children of Michael & Nancy  
(twins)

10. Lizzie Palissa<sup>6</sup>Hartzell(Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born February 14, 1854, Moline, Illinois, died January 27, 1881, Davenport, Iowa, married October 22, 1878(9), John A. Wallace, a brother to William W. Wallace who had married her sister Asenath(see page 44 for his ancestry). She is buried in the Hartzell (now Rock River View) Cemetery in Moline, Illinois.

The notes of Dr. J. Culver Hartzell give her middle name as Parker, but the record of her marriage in the Hartzell Family Bible says: Lizzie Palissa. She had no children.

11. Lillie Malissa<sup>6</sup>Hartzell(Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born February 14, 1854, Moline, Illinois, died Moline, Illinois, married August 11(13), 1885, Arthur Drury.

The notes of Dr. Hartzell give her middle name as Dale, but all records found by this compiler give the initial M. and not D. She had no children.

## 12th Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

12. Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell(Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born November 8, 1856, Moline, Illinois, died December 7, 1910, Alhambra, California, married April 15(22), 1878, Moline, Illinois, John Fletcher Jaques, born April 15, 1848, St. Charles, Illinois, died August 12, 1914, Pasadena, California.

## Children

40. i. Georgia Estella Jaques, b.Mch. 8, 1881, Moline, Ill.  
 41. ii. Duane Hartzell Jaques, b.Mch. 27, 1885, Clinton, Ia.  
 42. iii. Frank Hartzell Jaques, b.May 16, 1887, " "

## 13th Child of Michael &amp; Nancy

13. Harry Frank<sup>6</sup>Hartzell(Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George), born September 8, 1859, Moline, Illinois, died January 1, 1909, Los Angeles, California, married January 1, 1881(or June 28, 1882) in Topeka, Kansas, Virginia Cooper, born 1864, Centralia, Illinois.

Harry Frank, or "H.F." Hartzell, first came to Kansas as Secretary-Treasurer of the Topeka Transportation Company, of



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which his brother, "J.W." was President and General Manager. During the 1880 s, he moved to Wichita, Kansas, where he was a member of the firm of Moffitt, Davis & Hartzell, Furniture Dealers, whose store was located on the southeast corner of Topeka and Douglas Avenues in Wichita.

His wife, Virginia Cooper Hartzell, was nicknamed "Ginnie". She is now (1942) living with her daughter at 1519 $\frac{1}{2}$  Memlo Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

## Child

43. Georgia Estelle Hartzell, b. July 1, 1885, Topeka or Wichita, Ks.

End of Sixth Generation



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## SEVENTH GENERATION - Grandchildren of Michael &amp; Nancy

Children of Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell (1st)Jackson (2nd)Holt

14. Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson (Margaret<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born December 13, 1856, Moline, Illinois, died October 7, 1907, Moline, Illinois, married August 21, 1878, Moline, Illinois, Frank Henry Hyde, born December 6(9), 1855, Dekalb, Illinois, died April, 1913. at the home of his oldest son in Muskogee, Oklahoma.

## Children

44. 1. LeRoy Jackson Hyde b. Feb. 2, 1881, Beardstown, Ill.  
45. ii. Walter Henry Hyde b. July 30, 1890, Streator, Ill.

15. Charles Walter<sup>7</sup>Jackson (Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born August 2, 1858, Moline, Illinois, married (1) October 15, 1885, Moline, Illinois, Anna Harriet Kuhn, born May 15, 1864, Albany, Illinois, died October 12, 1914, Kansas City Missouri, buried Forest Hills Cemetery, Kansas City, Missouri.

Before his 18th birthday, Charles Walter Jackson had finished high school in Moline and started working for the Wheelock Kelsey Cracker Company of Moline. Later, he was, for some years, a traveling salesman with the Chicago branch of the Kennedy Baking Company, first concern to make the soda cracker.

January 1, 1887, Mr. Jackson obtained a position as traveling salesman for the Loose Brothers Cracker and Candy Company of Kansas City, Missouri, and he and Mrs. Jackson moved to Wichita, Kansas. In May of that year, with two other traveling salesmen and their wives, they filed adjoining claims on government land newly opened for settlement near Leoti, Kansas. The wives lived on this land for the required six months residence period, while the husbands traveled, by stage coach, livery "rig", or by train (passenger or freight) through Kansas and the Indian Territories, calling on customers in small towns, pioneer settlements, and Indian Trading Posts.\*

After "proving up" on their "claim", and selling it, in November, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson returned to Wichita to make their home.

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\*Note: The other two couples were: Mr. & Mrs. Charles Dines, later of Emporia, Kansas, and Mr. & Mrs. Frank Lewis who later lived in Chicago, Ill. The Lewis' had two daughter: Frank and Blossom (the older, who mar. Dr. Harold Kuhn of Kansas City, Mo. He died 1940)



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Mr. Jackson made all three "runs" at the various Oklahoma "openings", that of the original Indian Territories in 1889, of the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Territories in 1892, and of the famous Cherokee "strip" in 1893.

Anna Harrier(Kuhn)Jackson was educated at the Lake Forest Academy in Evanston, Illinois; at Knox College, Galesburg, Illinois, and at the Chicago Art Institute in 1880-81. During the winter of 1882-83 she taught art at Baker University, Baldwin, Kansas. She was married at the home of her brother, Lewis Burton Kuhn in Moline. Their father was Jacob Kuhn, a Presbyterian minister, born 1801, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, died 1878, Albany, Illinois.\*Their mother was Harriet Matilda Burton, born 1820, St. Albans, Vermont, married (1st) 1836, John P. Goodrich, married (2nd) 1856, Jackb Kuhn(Coon). She died in 1898 at the Jackson home in Wichita.#

In Wichita, Mr. Jackson was one of the charter members of Council No.39 of the United Commercial Travelers, organized November, 1892 and is now(1942) the oldest living member.@ He is a York Rite Mason and a member of Mt.Olivet Commandery of the Knights Templar. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were both active members of the First Presbyterian Church in Wichita. Mrs. Jackson was one of the organizing members of the Hypatia Literary Society in Wichita, organized about 1890.

Mr. Jackson remained with Loose Brothers Cracker and Candy Company of Kansas City for 17 years, through its consolidation with the American Cracker Company, and later with the National Biscuit Company; but when Loose Brothers withdrew from the National Biscuit Company and formed the Loose-Wiles Company, he remained with the National a few years longer.

\*Note: HISTORY & GENEALOGY OF THE KUHN FAMILY, 1700-1910, compiled by David Kuhn, written by John M. Kuhn, M.D. and David Brainerd Kuhn, published 1910 by J. Kuhn, Audubon, Iowa. Unproven Revolutionary soldiers on this line are: Michael Kuhn, Jacob Stotler and Henry Sites.(1942)(Later proven, see Appendix)

#Note: DESCENDANTS OF JOSIAH BURTON OF MANCHESTER, VERMONT, by Holman, publ. 1926. Revolutionary soldiers on this line are: Josiah Burton, Samuel Chamberlain, Nehemiah Lewis, and Michael Merritt(who also fought in the French and Indian War with Connecticut troops) Mayflower ancestors are Stephen Hopkins and his daughter Constance.(See also Appendix)

@Note: The 16 charter members of the U.C.T. council No.39 were: E. E. Beach, Edward F. Keck, Will Beatty, Barzilla E. Zartman, Christopher S. Truax, Am. A. Dumars, George Cook, Joseph L. Conway, C. W. Jackson, Glen D. Fletcher, Frank B. Brooks, Joseph C. Casey, Chas. D. Stinson, Lester B. Noble, Fred L. Richter and Wm. A. Overman. Other early members were: P. M. Anderson, John Walters, Frank Wood, James Gillespie, Ted & Will McDonald(twins), Charley Englehart, Marry McClung, Ed. Russell and Wm. Cooper. In 1893 the membership of the Council was about 100.



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About 1905 C.W. Jackson and Oscar Miles bought out the Bryan Brothers Candy Company of Wichita and reorganized it, calling their firm the Western Biscuit Company (now the Southwest Cracker Company). About 1908, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and their three youngest children moved to Kansas City Missouri where he organized a candy brokerage business. This he continued to operate until he retired from business in 1926.

In 1915 Mr. Jackson married (2nd) in Kansas City, Missouri Susanne (Stout) Martin (Mrs.) of Denver, Colorado, born in Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson now (1943) make their home at the Hyde Park Hotel in Kansas City, Missouri. (See also Appendix, p. 148)

## Children

- 46. i. Helen Kuhn Jackson      b. Aug. 27, 1888, Wichita, Kansas
- 47. ii. Marjorie Jackson      b. Nov. 6, 1891,      "      "
- 48. iii. Errol Burton Jackson      b. Sept. 13, 1896,      "      "
- 49. iv. Chas. Walter Jackson, Jr.      b. Apr. 22, 1898,      "      "

16. Addie Luella<sup>7</sup> Jackson (Margaret S.<sup>6</sup> Hartzell m. Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup> Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 13, 1860, Moline, Illinois, died April 1943, Moline, Illinois, married May 31, 1881, Frederick August Burgston, born March 28, 1856 in Sweden, died April, 1940 in Moline, Illinois.

Mrs. Burgston was the owner of the Family Bible of her grandparents, Michael and Nancy Hartzell, the Family Record Sheet of her mother, Margaret S. Hartzell, 1st Jackson, 2nd Holt, and other family data which she kindly furnished for this book. She also extended valuable assistance to this compiler in checking much other data. It is deeply regretted that the book was not completed during her lifetime.

## Children

- 50. i. Glenn Frederick Burgston, b. Oct. 8, 1883, Moline, Ill.
- 51. ii. Clyde H      Burgston, b. Apr. 14, 1893,      "      "

17. Frederick Dorman<sup>7</sup> Holt (Margaret S.<sup>6</sup> Hartzell m. (2nd) Holt, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup> Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born 1870, Moline, Illinois, died March, 1930 (or 32) Moline, Illinois, married June 3, 1896, Emma Josephine Brausch, born January 26, 1871, died December 1929, daughter of John G. Brausch.

## Child

- 52. i. Margaret Catherine Holt, b. Dec. 14, 1898 or Jan. 30, 1899.



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18. Gertrude Estella<sup>7</sup>Holt (Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, m.(2nd) Holt, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born June 20, 1872, Moline, Illinois, married September 20, 1893, Moline, Illinois, William Albert Lawrence, born April 17, 1868, Middletown, Ohio, died May 21, 1929, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Mrs. Lawrence now lives in Oklahoma City with her son and his family (1943)

## Children

53. i. Richard Holt Lawrence b.Oct.24,1899, Moline, Ill.  
 54. ii. Clifford Lawrence b. 1901, d. 1901

Children of Bishop Joseph Crane<sup>6</sup>Hartzell

19. Joseph Culver<sup>7</sup>Hartzell (Joseph Crane<sup>6</sup>, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George), born Sept.10,1870, New Orleans, Louisiana, died January 1,1936 at Blue Ash, Ohio, a suburb of Cincinnati. He married August 31,1893, Helen Hitchcock Thresher of Dayton, Ohio, born September 1,1869, Monson, Massachusetts, daughter of Eben Thresher of Monson, Massachusetts and Riverside, California, and descendant of John Alden.

WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA for 1934-35 (Vol.18) says of him:

"HARTZELL, J(oseph) Culver, genealogist; b.New Orleans, Sept. 10,1870, s.Joseph Crane and Jennie(Culver)H.; B.S.Chattanooga, 1892; M.S.Yale,1899; M.D.Coll.Phys.& Surg.,1901; Ph.d., Munich, 1904; student Harvard,1896; John Hopkins,1897-98; Pisa,1903; Ohio Miami Med.Coll.,1915; m.Helen Hitchcock Thresher of Dayton, O., Aug.31,1893; Prof.of Biology, Ill.Wesleyan U.,1899-1904; in Europe 1903-04; Prof.Chemistry U.of Pacific,1904-10; consulting engr.chemistry and metallurgy,1910-13; Ill.Malleable Iron Co.,1913-14; research work 1914-18; chief chemist Cincinnati Milling Co.,1918-19; consulting engr. to Dalton Machine Co., 1920; to Victor Safe & Lock Div.of the Safe-cabinet Co., & to the Hall's Safe Co.,1920-21; pres.& gen.Mgr.Ohio Lesgas Co., 1921-25. He has published many articles on geology, chemistry, water purification, metalurgy, etc. Memb. Am. Chem. Soc., Biol. & Geol. Soc.Washington, Ohio State Acad. of Science, fellow A.A.A.S. Seisneol.Soc.America; charter membr & Chair. exec. Com.Cincinnati chapt.Amer.Steel Treaters Soc.; member Cincinnati Chapt. S.A.R., Amer.Heraldry Soc.; freeman of the Gov.& Co. of Mass. Bay in N.E.; Cincinnati Geneal. Soc., Inst. of Amer. Genealogy. Home, Blue Ash, Ohio."

The COMPENDIUM OF AMERICAN GENEALOGY, Vol. IV, publ. 1930, page 582, gives his ancestry and adds to the above information:

"... Member of the Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity..has library of nearly 5,000 books, bulletins, technical papers and reprints, among which are many rare publications..has collection of many



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curios among which is a piece of the cloth from which the original American flag was made, member Gov. & Co. of Mass. Bay in N.E. (freeman), Soc. of Desc. 1st Citizens of Amer., D.A.R., Pa. German Soc., I.A.G., etc., Club, Engineers (Cincinnati), Methodist, Republican. Residence, "Cedar Cottage", Madisonville Rd., Blue Ash, Ohio."

His original claim for the Sons of the American Revolution was on his maternal ancestor, John Breece (De Bris). He also established supplemental claims on his father's paternal line, Hartzell, and maternal lines, Stauffer\*, Shallenberger\*, and Worman\*, and did much additional research on his mother's lines of Culver and Boyd. He was one of the founders of the National Association of Hartzells in America, and collected many family trees, especially of Hartzell families in Ohio. Many of his files are now the property of the Hartzell Association; others are in possession of his nephew, Karl Drew Hartzell.

## Child

55. 1. Helen Henrietta Hartzell, b. June 10, 1894, Cincinnati, Ohio.  
d. Oct. 19, 1894, Orangeburg, S.C.

26. John Wesley<sup>7</sup> Hartzell, died in infancy

24. Jennie Culver<sup>7</sup> Hartzell, died in infancy

22. Morton Culver<sup>7</sup> Hartzell (Joseph Crane<sup>6</sup>, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born February 17, 1876, New Orleans, Louisiana, died February 17, 1916, Pasadena Hospital, Pasadena, California, buried in the Rose Hill Cemetery in Chicago, Illinois. He married December 7, 1904, Bertha Vincent Drew of Boston, Massachusetts, daughter of Charles Acton and Harriet Walker Drew.

The Rev. Morton Culver Hartzell, A.B., B.D., D.D., graduated 1891, Woodward High School in Cincinnati, Ohio and in 1895 from the University of Cincinnati, and in 1898 from the Divinity School of Drew University. For one year he was assistant pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in New York City, then spent two years in Europe studying under eminent theologians in Berlin, Marburg, and Glasgow, and spent six months in Palestine. Of this latter trip he wrote in the Methodist Review of London, and lectured in subsequent years.

In 1901 he was admitted to the Rock River Conference and became pastor of a church in Elgin, Illinois. In 1902 he was appointed pastor of the Centenary M. E. Church in Chicago, where he remained for four years.

\* Note: See Stauffer, p. 98; Shallenberger, p. 108 and Worman, 105.



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In 1904 he married Bertha Vincent Drew, whom he had met when he was studying in Berlin. In 1908 he was stricken with the disease which finally resulted in his death eight years later. In 1910, after five months in Wesley Hospital in Chicago, he and his family moved to California, his body in a cast. His wife wrote in 1929:

"In Lamada Park, California, where they let him try his strength after his ten pound cast was removed, he was made pastor of a country Church. The district had been cursed by two wineries and the population was scattered among orange groves. The church, when the pulpit was occupied, served 91 people, but they were a fine people. They enlarged the parsonage and installed modern conveniences. We were among them for two years. In that time although Morton spent many weeks on his back he accomplished the following things: church overcrowded; new \$10,000 lot for new church bought and paid for; a neighborhood club started; a country library organized and \$500 spent for books at the start. The library is now big and flourishing. A bond issue, secured by Morton, for a new school to replace the old three story fire trap. A play-ground installed with athletic field and a paid director responsible to Morton and eight electric arc lights so that the boys could play ball at night. When the base-ball field was opened Morton threw the first ball. He hobbled out to the "box", laid aside one of his canes and did it! Morton did some preaching and lecturing outside his own parish. He spent one entire week at the University of Southern California, giving a series of inspirational talks, and always with crutches or with canes. Now there is a beautiful 'Morton Culver Hartzell Memorial Church' on the new lot he bought and paid for while he was pastor. Every one for miles around adored him. His sense of humor rarely flagged."

His brother, Mr. J. Culver Hartzell writes in his notes:

"Mrs. Hartzell deserves full share in the accomplishments of Rev. Hartzell." After the death of her husband, Bertha Drew Hartzell studied library science at the University of Illinois and has, for some years, been associated with the Public Library in Boston, Massachusetts.

## Children

56. i. Karl Drew Hartzell, b. Jan. 17, 1906, Chicago, Ill.
57. ii. Morton Culver Hartzell, Jr., b. Chicago, d. infancy.

23. Robert Culver<sup>7</sup>Hartzell (Joseph Crane<sup>6</sup>, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam. Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born October 9, 1879, Chicago, Illinois, married (1st) Helen Cowan, niece of General Cowan of Cincinnati. She died in Cincinnati. He married (2nd) Helen Muns, daughter of Dr. Muns of Oxford



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Ohio. They were divorced and he married (3rd) Cora \_\_\_\_\_. He was living in Oklahoma City in 1916 and in Sawtelle, California in 1929-30, but died "several years ago". (1942)

## Child by 1st Wife

58. 1. Robert Cowan Hartzell, died in infancy

Children of Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell (1st)Ware, (2nd)Rapp.

24. Clyde Norman<sup>7</sup>Ware (Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Ware, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born March 7, 1865, Tipton, Iowa, married August 1, 1894, Camp Point, Illinois, Mary Ellen Price, born November 15, 1874, Mt. Sterling, Illinois.

It is said that Clyde Ware was named for his father's two favorite horses, Clydedale and Normandale. His parents were separated for several years before the death of his father, his mother taking Clyde and his sister Maude to Moline, where they lived with her parents, Michael and Nancy Hartzell. When Mary Hartzell and her second husband, John Rapp, Jr. moved to Edwards County, Kansas about 1877, Clyde and Maude Ware went with them.

In the 1880s, Clyde Ware lived for some time with his uncle, H. Frank Hartzell, in Wichita, Kansas, where he attended night school and in the daytime worked in the furniture store of Moffitt, Davis & Hartzell. From 1893 to 1923 Clyde Ware was in the furniture business for himself.

Mr. Ware is a Mason and he and his family are members of the Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Ware moved from California to Sullivan, Illinois a few years ago, where they still live. (1942)

## Children

59. 1. Virginia C. Ware b. August 6, 1896, Quincy, Ill.  
60. 11. Donald C. Ware b. August 3, 1901, " "

25. Maude<sup>7</sup>Ware (Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Ware, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born probably Tipton, Iowa, married about 1835, probably Dodge City, Kansas, Joseph P. Irwin. It is said that she was about 18 when married and that she and her husband lived Kinsley, Kansas, and that she died in 1836. Her child survived her by a few months.

## Child

61. 1. Edna Irwin, b. 1886, d. infancy



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26. Donald J.<sup>7</sup>Rapp (Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Rapp, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,<sup>4</sup>Jr., John Adam,<sup>3</sup>Sr., John George,<sup>2</sup>Jr., John George) born October 20,1876, Moline,Illinois, married November 14,1900, Quincy,Illinois, Cora Miller.

Donald Rapp moved with his parents to Edwards County,Kansas where they took up land about 1877. The family moved to Dodge City,Kansas,1887, where he attended High School, graduating in 1894. He attended Business College in Quincy,Illinois and entered railway mail service in 1896. He was appointed Postal Inspector,Boston Division in 1904, which position he still holds.(1943) He and his family have lived in Burlington, Vermont, Springfield,Massachusetts, and in Boston since 1925. Mr. and Mrs. Don Rapp now live at 77 Newbury Street,Rosindale, Massachusetts, a suburb of Boston. Besides their two daughters they raised their niece, Marjorie Rapp.

## Children

62. i. Vesta Jean Rapp, b. Apr.26,1914, Springfield,Mass.  
 63. ii. Virginia Rapp b. Jan.13,1916, " "

27. Arthur Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Rapp(Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Rapp, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,<sup>4</sup>Jr., John Adam,<sup>3</sup>Sr., John George,<sup>2</sup>Jr., John George) born October 30,1879 near Offerly,Edwards County, Kansas,married(1st)Cora Glassey,died December 2,1914,Dubuque,Ia.

He attended public schools in Dodge City,Kansas and moved to Quincy,Illinois with others of the family. He married a second time and now lives 4131 Sheridan Road,Chicago,Illinois. Letters to him not answered or returned. His daughter was raised by his brother,Don Rapp from the time she was 14 till her marriage.

## Child by 1st Wife

64. i. Marjorie Elizabeth Rapp,b.May 3,1906,Indianapolis,Ind.

28. Florence Elizabeth<sup>7</sup>Rapp (Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Rapp, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,<sup>4</sup>Jr., John Adam,<sup>3</sup>Sr., John George,<sup>2</sup>Jr., John George) born December 25,1882 near Offerly,Edwards County,Kansas, d.1940, South Gate,California, married in Quincy,Illinois, Clarges D.Miller.

"Flossie" Rapp moved with her family to Dodge City,Kansas, 1887, where she attended school and the Methodist Church. In 1942 her husband was living in Huntingdon Park,California. Letters to him neither answered nor returned.

## Children

65. i. Ardeen Miller  
 66. ii. Daughter Miller.



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Children of Asenath Irene<sup>6</sup>Hartzell Wallace

29. Ralph Hartzell Wallace, died in infancy

30. Stella Hartzell Wallace, died in infancy

31. Asenath Hartzell<sup>17</sup>Wallace (Asenath Irene<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, m. Wallace, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born April 19, 1879, Chicago, Illinois, married April 16, 1910, Kansas City, Kansas, George Cameron Hurst, born October 2, 1879, Glasgow, Scotland, son of Tom and Georgiana Watson Hurst.

Asenath III, called "Little Sena", inherited her father's love of music, and was, for several years prior to her marriage a teacher of piano music in Kansas City, Kansas. Her husband, Mr. Hurst, is associated with Armour & Company Meat Packers, in Kansas City, Missouri. Mr. and Mrs. Hurst now have their home at 2705 51st Terrace, Kansas City, Missouri. (1942)

## Children

67. 1. Asenath Georgiana Hurst, b. Oct. 8, 1912, Kansas City, Kans.  
 68. 11. George Cameron Hurst, Jr. b. March, 1914, " " "  
 (or Nov. 25, 1915)

Children of Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell Hayes

32. May Zelda<sup>7</sup>Hayes (Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born February 25, 1867, Pleasantville, Fairfield County, Ohio, married December 24, 1885, Louisville, Kansas, Elmer D. Anderson, died December 23, 1941, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

In 1902, E. D. Anderson and his brother-in-law, Harry B. Hayes founded the Kiowa Chronicle, newspaper of Kiowa, Oklahoma.

## Child

69. 1. Marie Anderson, b. Jan. 24, 1891, Havensville, Kansas.

33. Estella<sup>7</sup>Hayes (Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born January 10, 1869, Pleasantville, Fairfield County, Ohio, married May 10, 1892, Havensville, Kansas, John William Tatman, born 1868, Greencastle, Indiana.

Mrs. Tatman has been of much help in gathering this data.



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She is the proud possessor of a chair which belonged to her grandmother, Nancy Stauffer Hartzell. Mr. and Mrs. Tatman now make their home with their daughter at 140 South Hillside Avenue in Wichita, Kansas. (1942) She d. Jan. 15, 1968 at 99 years old.

## Child

70. i. Gail Tatman, b. June 23, 1893, Westmoreland, Kansas

34. John Clyde<sup>7</sup>Hayes (Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born December 23, 1870, Pleasantville, Fairfield County, Ohio, died August 26, 1926, Kansas City, Missouri, married November 24, 1910, St. Joseph, Missouri, Mary E. Frost.

## Child

71. i. Clyde Hayes, Jr. b. Sept. 27, 1903, Dubuque, Iowa.  
d. Aug. 27, 1904

35. Harry Blaine<sup>7</sup>Hayes (Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 17, 1874, Pleasantville, Fairfield County, Ohio, married February 22, 1902, Enid, Oklahoma, Cora Kelly, born December 23, 1880, Washington, Iowa.

Harry B. Hayes is a newspaper man. In 1902, he and his brother-in-law, E.D. Anderson, established the Kiowa Chronicle of Kiowa, Oklahoma. He also established the Stonewall Times and the Clayton Enterprise. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes have thier home in Savanna, Oklahoma. (1942)

## Children

72. i. Eva Lucille Hayes b. Dec. 19, 1903, Kiowa, Okla.  
73. ii. Zelda Faye Hayes b. Sept. 24, 1905, Hunter, Okla.

36. Lotta Faye<sup>7</sup>Hayes (Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born January 2, 1881, Topeka, Kansas, married April 22, 1914, Olatha, Kansas, Harry LaShelle Smith, born January 5, 1884, Washington, Kansas.

Mrs. Smith has the Hayes Family Bible, from which she has kindly furnished the data of the marriage of her parents and births of their children and some of their grandchildren. Her husband is an M. D., with offices at 552 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas. Their residence is at 1204 Sumner Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas (1942). They have no children.

37. Glenn Hartzell<sup>7</sup> Hayes, died in infancy



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Children of Alice Luella<sup>6</sup>Hartzell McCoy

38. Rolland Hartzell<sup>7</sup>McCoy (Alice Luella<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. McCoy, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Sr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 23(24), 1871(72), Moline, Illinois, died March 17, 1929, married November 10, 1897, Monmouth, Illinois, Nellie Hardin, born January 12, 1875, Dodge Center, Minnesota, daughter of (Delevan?) Samuel and Mary Parsons Hardin. The present address of Mrs. Rolland Hartzell McCoy is 402 South 3rd Street, Monmouth, Illinois. (1942)

## Children

74. i. Mary Alice McCoy      b. Dec. 25, 1901, Monmouth, Ill.  
 75. ii. Rolland Hardin McCoy, b. Mch. 12, 1905,      "      "

39. George Leonard<sup>7</sup>McCoy (Alice Luella<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. McCoy, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 22, 1873(74), Moline, Illinois, married August 5, 1902, Moline, Illinois, Ethel May Bisbing, born March 24, 1884, Mt. Clemens, Michigan, daughter of Mahon Bisbing. His widow is now Mrs. Pearl Daniels, residence, 1901 Pingree Avenue, Flint, Michigan. (1943) He died July 6, 1904, Rock Island, Illinois.

## Children

76. i. Helen Irene McCoy      b. Dec. 27, 1903, Moline, Ill  
 77. ii. Katherine Esther McCoy, b. Sept. 2, 1906,      "      "

Children of Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell Jaques

40. Georgia Estelle<sup>7</sup>Jaques (Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell mar. Jaques, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born March 8, 1881, Moline, Illinois, married January 14, 1903, Louis Henson Bassett, born December 13, 1879, Charleston, Iowa. Residence 1210 Solita Road, Pasadena, California. (1942)

## Children

78. i. Ester Estelle Bassett      b. Feb. 9, 1904, Pasadena, Calif.  
 79. ii. Dorothy Natalee Bassett, b. Oct. 22, 1905,      "      "

41. Duane Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Jaques (Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. Jaques, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born March 27, 1885, Clinton, Iowa, married Margery Corbett Tucker, born February 19, 1885. Residence, 2111 North Craig Avenue, Altadena, California. (1942)



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## Child

80. 1. Katherine Nancy Jaques, b. Sept. 24, 1912, Long Beach, Calif.

42. Frank Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Jaques (Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. Jaques, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born May 16, 1887, Clinton, Iowa, married (2) August 22, 1936, Mina McKensie, born February 8, 1900, Glasgow, Scotland. Frank H. Jaques is an attorney with offices at 430 Ocean Center Building, Long Beach, California. Residence, 849 Clairborne Place, Long Beach, California. (1942)

## Child by 1st Wife

81. 1. Frank Hartzell Jaques, Jr., b. June 14, 1928

Child of Harry Frank<sup>6</sup>Hartzell

43. Georgia Estelle<sup>7</sup>Hartzell (Harry Frank<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born July 1, 1885, probably in Topeka or Wichita, Kansas.

Georgia Hartzell has, for many years, been associated with the Security First National Bank in Los Angeles, California. Her chief interest, outside her business, is music. She is a member of the Musical Club of Los Angeles. She and her mother have their residence at 1519 $\frac{1}{2}$  Memo Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

End of Seventh Generation



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## EIGHTH GENERATION - Great Grandchildren

Children of No.14, Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson Hyde

44. LeRoy Jackson<sup>8</sup>Hyde (Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson m.Hyde, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born February 2, 1881, Beardstown, Illinois, married (1st) September 12, 1904, in Arkansas, Bessie Orin Beardslee, born December 9, 1879, Arkansas, died November , 1927, Lincoln, Nebraska. He married (2nd) December 19, 1928, Chicago, Illinois, Ella Marie Reecer, born August 8, 1892, Congersville, Illinois. (See also Appendix, p.148)

Roy and Bess Hyde were active in musical circles in Wichita, Kansas, during the early years of their marriage. She was a talented pianist, he a vocalist and a member of the Apollo Glee Club of Wichita. During the years they lived in Muskogee, he was a conductor of church music in addition to his other business.

In Wichita he was a traveling salesman for a cracker and candy concern. In Muskogee he was connected with a candy factory. Later he was associated with his uncle, C. W. Jackson in the candy brokerage business in Kansas City. In Lincoln, he and his younger brother have, for some time operated the Hyde Brothers' Candy Brokerage Company. Mr. and Mrs. Hyde maintain their home in Lincoln, Nebraska, although they spend much time with her mother in Congersville, Illinois. (1942)

## Children, by 1st Wife

82. i. Harold Beardslee Hyde, b. Oct. 8, 1905, Wichita, Kansas.  
 83. ii. Dorothy Alice Hyde b. June 19, 1908, " "  
 84. iii. Marjorie Ella Hyde b. Oct. 10, 1910, Muskogee, Okla.

45. Walter Henry<sup>8</sup>Hyde (Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson, m.Hyde, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born July 30, 1890, Streator, Illinois, married (1st) August 4, 1911, Calvert, Texas, Imogene Avis Foster, born March 17, 1889, Calvert, Texas.

Walter Hyde was, for some years, associated with his uncle, C. W. Jackson, in the candy brokerage business in Kansas City, Missouri. Now he and his older brother operate the Hyde Brothers' Candy Brokerage Company in Lincoln, Nebraska, Walter being the sales representative and traveling through several states of sales territory.

He married (2nd) in 1930, Helen Clogston Behmer (Mrs.), daughter of Lew E. Clogston of Wichita, Kansas. Residence, 112 South Fountain Avenue, Wichita, Kansas. (1942) (Appendix)



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## Child by 1st Wife

85. 1. Walter Hubert Hyde, b. Dec. 6(21), 1915(14), Kansas City, Mo.

## Step-daughter

Betty Behmer, married on Easter, 1940, Wichita, Kansas,  
to George A. Schnug, of Wichita.

Children of No. 15, Charles Walter<sup>7</sup>Jackson

46. Helen Kuhn<sup>8</sup>Jackson (Charles Walter<sup>7</sup>Jackson, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born August 27, 1888, Wichita, Kansas, married (1st) June 18, 1907, Wichita, Kansas, Arthur Barnes Sim, born August 17, 1882, Topeka, Kansas, died December 19, 1916, Kansas City, Missouri. She married (2nd) December 22, 1919, Chicago, Illinois, Hal McCarty Black, born February 19, 1886, Freeport, Harrison County, Ohio, son of Bourrainne and Eliza Fulton Black.

Helen Jackson Black attended public schools and Fairmount College in Wichita, Kansas. She also studied library science in Chicago and was associated with the Chicago Public Library during the years 1917-18-19. She is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, her original claim being on service of John Adam Hartzell, Sr. as given on page 23 of this book.\*

Hal M. Black is a graduate of Cornell, 1911, and finished his law at the University of Kansas. While at Cornell he was a member of the Cornell Glee Club and of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. He has Revolutionary ancestors: Joseph Hutchinson of Virginia and Dr. Samuel Thompson of Pennsylvania. Mr. Black is an attorney with offices in the Schweiter Building in Wichita.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Black are interested in Community Chest activities. They are Presbyterians and Republicans. Residence, 404 South Fountain Avenue, Wichita, Kansas. (1943)\*

47. Marjorie<sup>8</sup>Jackson (Charles Walter<sup>7</sup>Jackson, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born November 6, 1891, Wichita, Kansas, died March 7, 1939, Torrence, California, married (1st) June 13, 1921, Vallejo, California, Herbert Paul Quarder, married (2nd) May 3, 1930, Anaheim, California, Lester Patterson, born August 26, 1891, in eastern Kansas.

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\*Note: For later information of Mr. and Mrs. Black, see Appendix. She is the compiler of this book. (Appendix, p. 148)



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Marjorie Jackson Patterson attended public school and Fairmount Preparatory in Wichita, Kansas, high school and Miss Barstow's Private School in Kansas City, Missouri. She also took a business and domestic science course at a school located in the Tower Building in Chicago, Illinois, winter of 1915-16, and was for some years, manager of the lunch room in the Chicago Art Institute. During the First World War she saw service with a Salvation Army Canteen Unit. She was buried in the Roosevelt Cemetery in Torrence or Wilmington, California.

## Step-daughter

Leona Bell Patterson, b.abt.1918, mar. prior to 1939.

48. Errol Burton<sup>8</sup>Jackson (Charles Walter<sup>7</sup>Jackson, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 13, 1896, Wichita, Kansas.

Errol B. Jackson attended public schools in Wichita, Kansas and in Kansas City, Missouri. Also he studied art at the Kansas City Art Institute, the Minneapolis Art Institute, and the Chicago Art Institute. He enlisted and served in the United States Navy during the First World War. His residence is: 1629 South Maxon Road, El Monte, California. (1943) (See also Appendix, p.149)

49. Charles Walter<sup>8</sup>Jackson, Jr. (Charles Walter<sup>7</sup>Jackson, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born April 22, 1898, Wichita, Kansas, died July 5, 1916, Mt. Clemens, Michigan.

Charles Walter Jackson, Jr. attended public schools in Wichita, Kansas and in Kansas City, Missouri. He also attended the University of Missouri at Columbia, where he was a member of the Phi Kappa Si. fraternity. He enlisted in the United States Air Corps during the First World War and was in training for an officer's commission as a gunner. His death came as the result of a crash on a practice flight from Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan, in one of the old type bi-planes, called "Jennies". He was buried in the Forest Hill Cemetery in Kansas City, Missouri.

Children of No.16, Addie Luella<sup>7</sup>Jackson Burgston.

50. Glenn Frederick<sup>8</sup>Burgston (Addie Luella<sup>7</sup>Jackson m. Burgston, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born October 8, 1883, Moline, Illinois, married June 15 (Apr. 18), 1905, Moline, Illinois, Mable Josephine Buckland, born July 17, 1884, Moline, Illinois. He is in the Insurance business in Moline.



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51. Clyde H.<sup>8</sup>Burgston (Addie Luella<sup>7</sup>Jackson m.Burgston, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.1st Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born April 14,1893, Moline,Illinois, married July 30(31),1939, in Moline,Illinois, Edith Redman Resser(or Rezer)(Mrs.) born June 6(12),1901, Morrison or Geneseo, Illinois.

Clyde Burgston graduated from the University of Illinois in 1917 as a chemical engineer. While there he was a member of a Greek letter fraternity. During the First World War he attended Officers' Training Camp at Louisville,Kentucky and was commissioned First Lieutenant of Field Artillery and stationed as a teacher at Camp Custer. Since returning to civil life he has been a metalurgist with Deere & Company of Moline, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgston have their home at 2708, 15th Avenue, Moline,Illinois.(1942)

Step-son

\_\_\_\_\_ Rezer(or Resser)

Child of No.17, Frederick Dorman<sup>7</sup>Holt

52. Margaret Catherine<sup>8</sup>Holt (Frederick Dorman<sup>7</sup>Holt, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Holt, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell,Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born December 14,1898, Moline,Illinois. Margaret Holt is an invalid. Residence, Moline,Illinois. (1942)

Children of No.18, Gertrude Estella<sup>7</sup>Holt Lawrence

53. Richard Holt<sup>8</sup>Lawrence (Gertrude Estella<sup>7</sup>Holt m.Lawrence, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Holt, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born October 24,1899, Moline,Illinois, married December 14, 1925, Oklahoma City,Oklahoma, Zaida Nell Sherman Duvall (Mrs.) born December 17,1902, Residence, 431 N.W. 28th Street, Oklahoma City,Oklahoma.(1942) (See also Appendix later data,p.149)

Children

86. i.Barbara Joan Lawrence,b.July 21,1927,Oklahoma City,Okla.  
87. ii.Wm.Albert Lawrence II,b.Sept. 6,1929, " " "

Step-son

Grable W.Duvall,b.Mch.14,1922. U.S.Marines,Pearl Harbor,Dec.'41.

54. Clifford<sup>8</sup>Lawrence, died in infancy.



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54. Clifford<sup>8</sup>Lawrence, died in infancy.

Child of No.19, Joseph Culver<sup>7</sup>Hartzell.

55. Helen Henrietta<sup>7</sup>Hartzell, died in infancy.

Children of No.22, Morton Culver<sup>7</sup>Hartzell.

56. Karl Drew<sup>8</sup>Hartzell (Morton Culver<sup>7</sup>Hartzell, Joseph Crane<sup>6</sup>Hartzell, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born January 17, 1906, Chicago, Illinois, married September 5, 1935, at Wheaton College, Norton, Massachusetts, Anna C. Lomas, born October 20, 1907, Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

Karl Drew Hartzell received his Ph.B., Wesleyan, 1927, his A.M. and Ph.D., Harvard, 1934; is a member of Beta Theta Nu and Phi Beta Kappa fraternities and of the American Historical Association. Mrs. Hartzell graduated from Wheaton College, 1930 and was Alumnae Secretary for three years.

Mr. Hartzell has been, for some time, a professor at the State Teachers' College in Geneseo, New York, and was recently appointed county historian for Livingston County, New York. He now has many of the genealogical notes of his uncle's, Dr. J. Culver Hartzell as well as the Family Bible of his grandfather, Bishop Hartzell. Mr. and Mrs. Karl Drew Hartzell have their home at #80 Center Street, Geneseo, New York. (1943)

## Children

88. i. Karl Drew Hartzell, Jr., b. Mch. 31, 1939, Atlanta, Ga.

89. ii. Richard Lomas Hartzell) twins

90. iii. Julian Crane Hartzell ) b. July 10, 1943, Geneseo, N.Y.

57. Morton Culver<sup>8</sup>Hartzell, Jr., died in infancy.

Child of No.23, Robert Culver<sup>7</sup>Hartzell

58. Robert Cowan<sup>8</sup>Hartzell, died in infancy.

Children of No.24, Clyde Norman<sup>7</sup>Ware(Wear)

59. Virginia<sup>8</sup>Ware (Clyde Norman<sup>7</sup>Ware, Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 1st Ware, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>,



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John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born August 6, 1896, Quincy, Illinois, married April 14, 1922, Schoenleber.

Virginia Ware Schoenleber graduated from high school in Quincy, Illinois, and entered Miss Twichell's private school in Springfield, Massachusetts, from which she graduated in June, 1908 as president of her class. She taught school for 15 years in a suburb of Hartford, Connecticut, and for the past 6 years has conducted a private school of which she is principal. This school is called the "Sunshine School for Children", and has four teachers, and is built on the estate of Mr. and Mrs. Schoenleber in a suburb of Hartford, Connecticut. Address, Pleasant Street, Warehouse Point, Connecticut. (1942)

60. Donald C.<sup>8</sup>Ware (Clyde Norman<sup>7</sup>Ware, Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 1st Ware, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born August 3, 1901, Quincy, Illinois.

During the First World War Donald C. Ware entered the 13th U.S. Cavalry and was stationed at Ft. Riley, Kansas, where he taught horsemanship. He had been a beautiful horseback rider since childhood. In civil life, he was in the furniture business in Houston, Texas until 1938, and at present is a traveling salesman in Indiana. (1942)

Child of No. 25, Maude<sup>7</sup>Ware Irwin.

61. Edna Irwin, died in infancy.

Children of No. 26, Donald J.<sup>7</sup>Rapp

62. Vesta Jean<sup>8</sup>Rapp (Don J.<sup>7</sup>Rapp, Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. 2nd Rapp, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born April 26, 1914, Springfield, Massachusetts, married June 25, 1938, Boston, Dayton Harris Clewell, born December 15, 1912, Berwick, Pennsylvania.

Jean Rapp Clewell is a graduate of Boston University and the Sargent School of Physical Education where she afterwards taught for some years previous to her marriage.

Mr. Clewell graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1933, from where he obtained his Ph.D. in 1936. He is a research physicist for the Magnolia Petroleum Company. Mr. and Mrs. Clewell are members of the Highland Park Methodist Church in Dallas. Their address is 3220 Rankin Avenue, Dallas, Texas. (1942)



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## Children

91. 1. Don Bert Clewell b.Sept.5,1940(1), Dallas,Texas.  
 92. 11. Nancy Hartzell Clewell,b.Nov.20,1942, " "

63. Virginia<sup>8</sup>Rapp (Don J.<sup>7</sup>Rapp, Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Rapp, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>. John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born January 13,1916, Springfield, Massachusetts, Married November 4,1939, Rosindale,Massachusetts, Clifford Albert Watts, born November 25,1915, Lynne, Massachusetts. Residence, 113 Lasell Street, West Roxbury, Massachusetts. (1942)

## Children

93. 1. Barbara Jean Watts b. Apr.10,1941, Boston,Mass.  
 94. 11. Charles Joseph Watts,b. June 8,1942, " "

Child of No.27,Arthur Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Rapp.

64. Marjorie Elizabeth<sup>8</sup>Rapp (Arthur Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Rapp, Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Rapp, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John Goerge) born May 3,1906, Indianapolis,Indiana, married September 11,1937, Boston,Massachusetts, Walter Willard Whittum, born October 24,1902, at Springfield,Massachusetts.

Marjorie Rapp Whittum was raised by her uncle, Don J.Rapp and his wife,from the time she was 14 years old until her marriage. She graduated from State Teachers' College, Farmington, Massachusetts in 1926 and taught school until she was married. Mr. Whittum graduated from the Massachusetts State College at Amherst, Massachusetts, in 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. Whittum spent two years in South America where he was representing a sugar mill machinery firm. They lived one year in Buenos Aires, Argentine, and spent six months traveling through Brazil, Uruguay, Chile, Bolivia, Ecuador, Peru and the Argentine. While living in Buenos Aires, Mrs. Whittum taught one term in the American school there.

Mr. Whittum now manages an archery equipment factory in Long Island, New York. Mrs. Whittum is an observer at the local air observation post, during the emergency period of the Second World War. She is also an ambulance driver in the local Red Cross Medical Unit. Her husband is an air warden. Residence, Long Bow Acres, Manorville, Long Island, New York (1942) (See also Appendix for later data of this family, page 149)



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Children of No.28, Florence<sup>7</sup>Rapp Miller.

85. Ardeen<sup>8</sup>Miller (Florence<sup>7</sup>Rapp m.Miller, Mary C.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.2nd Rapp, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born

Ardeen Miller is connected with an insurance company in Los Angeles,California. Residence, 3089 Memlo Drive, Glendale, Calif. (1942). Letter to him neither answered nor returned.

66. Daughter<sup>8</sup>Miller. The only mention of her is: "Floss Miller had a daughter,also". Probably she died in infancy.

Children of No.31, Asenath H.<sup>7</sup>Wallace Hurst

67. Asenath(IV)Georgiana<sup>8</sup>Hurst(Asenath H.<sup>7</sup>Wallace m.Hurst, Asenath I.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Wallace, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born October 8, 1912, Kansas City,Kansas, married December 19,1942, Del Monte, California, David Gale Henry, born January 31,1906, Pattonburg, Missouri.

During the Second World War, Mrs. Henry is making her home with her parents at 2705 W. 51st St.Terrace, Kansas City Missouri while her husband, Lieut. Henry, formerly a civilian engineer with the War Department, is doing engineering on an airfield in New Guinea. (December, 1943) (See also Appendix,149)

95. Asenath(V)Gail Henry, born Nov.14,1943, Kansas City,Mo.

68. George Cameron<sup>8</sup>Hurst,Jr. (Asenath H.<sup>7</sup>Wallace m.Hurst, Asenath I.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Wallace,Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>,John George) born March,1914, (or November 25,1915?) Kansas City,Kansas, married March 6, 1938, Mary Jane French, born December 24,1914.

G. Cameron Hurst is associated with the New York Life Insurance Company. Res.,1818 Hinman Ave.,Chicago,Illinois.(1943)

## Child

96. George Cameron Hurst III, b.May 17,1941, Minneapolis,Minn.

Child of No.32,May Zelda<sup>7</sup>Hayes Anderson

69. Marie<sup>8</sup>Anderson(May Zelda<sup>7</sup>Hayes m.Anderson, Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born January 24,1891,



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Havensville, Kansas, married Robert Fenner. Residence, 1125 North Robinson Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. (1942)

*at Jan. 24, 1965*

Child of No. 33, Estella<sup>7</sup> Hayes Tatman.

70. Gail<sup>8</sup> Tatman (Estella<sup>7</sup> Hayes m. Tatman, Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup> Hartzell m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup> Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born June 23, 1893, Westmoreland, Kansas, married (1st) June 14, 1916, Clarence Richard Apetz, born October 18, 1891, died May 5, 1924; married (2nd) January 27, 1929, Edgar C. Bowers, born April 4, 1885.

Gail Tatman Bowers was educated as a trained nurse and as a chiropractor, which latter profession she is now practicing. Mr. and Mrs. Bowers' address is 140 South Hillside Avenue, Wichita, Kansas. (1942) (See also Appendix, page 150)

## Children by 1st Husband

97. 1. William Fanning Apetz                      b. Apr. 28, d. Apr. 30, 1922.  
98. 11. Clarence Richard Apetz, Jr., b. June 22, 1924.

Child of No. 34, John Clyde<sup>7</sup> Hayes

71. Clyde Hayes, Jr., died in infancy

Children of No. 35, Harry Blaine<sup>7</sup> Hayes

72. Eva Lucille<sup>8</sup> Hayes (Harry Blaine<sup>7</sup> Hayes, Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup> Hartzell m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup> Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born December 19, 1904, Kiowa, Oklahoma, married, Savanna, Oklahoma, Ray Frasco, born Krebs, Oklahoma. Residence, Savanna, Oklahoma. (1942)

## Child

99. 1. Harry Joe Frasco, b. May 4, 1920, Savanna, Oklahoma, now serving with the 98th School Squadron, Shephard Field, Wichita Falls, Texas. (1942) (Mar. a Scotch lassie)

73. Zelda Faye<sup>8</sup> Hayes (Harry Blaine<sup>7</sup> Hayes, Lydia Evelyn<sup>6</sup> Hartzell m. Hayes, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup> Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 24, 1905, Huntington, Oklahoma, married in McAlester, Oklahoma, Fred A. Harris, born Vianna, Illinois.



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Children of No.38, Rolland Hartzell<sup>7</sup>McCoy

74. Mary Alice<sup>8</sup>McCoy(Rolland H.<sup>7</sup>McCoy, Alice L.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.McCoy, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born December 25,1901, Monmouth,Illinois, married May 28,1924, Monmouth, Robert Joseph Ebersole, born January 26,1900.

Robert J. Ebersole is associated with the A. B. C. Electrotrope Company of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Ebersole's address is 522 South Clinton, Chicago,Illinois. (1942)

## Children

100. 1. Mary Jeanna Ebersole, b. Feb.24,1925, Monmouth, Ill.  
 101. 11. Eleanor Ebersole, b.July 3,1929, " "

75. Rolland Hardin<sup>8</sup>McCoy(Rolland Hartzell<sup>7</sup>McCoy,Alice L.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.McCoy, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell,John Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born March 12,1905, Monmouth,Illinois; married December 25,1925, Burlington,Iowa, Mabel Winifred Martin, born December 9,1904, Aledo,Illinois, daughter of James Franklin Martin.

R. Hardin McCoy attended Monmouth College at Monmouth,Illinois and Kenyon College, Gambier,Ohio. He is a member of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity and of the Episcopal Church in Monmouth. Before 1942 he operated the McCoy Insurance Agency in Monmouth, but now is a Captain in the United States Army Air Force, Second World War. Home address, 402 South 3rd Street, Monmouth,Illinois. (1943) (See also Appendix, page 150)

## Children

102. 1.James Hardin McCoy, b.Oct.19,1928, Pontiac, Mich.  
 103. 11.John Martin McCoy, b.Dec.26,1931, Monmouth,Ill.  
 104. 111.Stephen Hartzell McCoy,b.June 6,1942, Monmouth,Ill.

Children of No.39, George Leonard<sup>7</sup>McCoy

76. Helen Irene<sup>8</sup>McCoy(George Leonard<sup>7</sup>McCoy,Alice L.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.McCoy,Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born December 27,1903, Moline, Illinois, married February 15,1936, Herbert T. Petersen.

Helen McCoy Petersen graduated from a kindergarten school in Chicago and was a kindergarten teacher in Moline,Illinois for several years previous to her marriage. In the summer of 1942 her father's cousin, Mrs. Burgston of Moline, gave her the Hartzell Family Bible, either as a loan or as a gift. Her residence is 2368 McKinley Avenue, Davenport,Iowa. (1942)



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## Child

105. i. Emil Clyde Petersen, b. Oct.29,1936, Davenport,Iowa.

77. Katherine Esther<sup>8</sup>McCoy(George Leonard<sup>7</sup>McCoy,Alice L.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.McCoy, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 2,1906, Moline,Illinois, married August 4,1925, Howard Jewell, born September 26,1901, son of John Jewell.

Katherine McCoy and her husband, Howard Jewell, both studied at the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago,Illinois. It is believed that they were divorced a short time after their marriage. For some time she was a secretary to Missionary Headquarters in Shanghai,China, where she was at the time of the Japanese occupation in 1942.

Children of No.40, Georgia Estelle<sup>7</sup>Jaques Bassett

78. Ester Estelle<sup>8</sup>Bassett(Georgia Estelle<sup>7</sup>Jaques m.Bassett, Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Jaques, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born February 9, 1904, Pasadena,California, married Paul Crowel of Pasadena, born June 28,1904, Pasadena,California.

## Children

106. i. Pauline Crowel b. Sept.8,1926, Pasadena, Calif.  
 107. ii. Nancy Crowel b. Nov.28,1927, " "  
 108. iii. William Crowel b. Feb. 5,1930, " "

79. Dorothy Natalee<sup>8</sup>Bassett(Georgia Estelle<sup>7</sup>Jaques m.Bassett, Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Jaques, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born October 22,1905, Pasadena, California, married Walter Garmshauser, born March 27,1903, South Pasadena, California.

## Child

109. i. Trudy Garmshauser, b. May 9,1938, Pasadena,Calif.

Child of No.41, Duane Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Jaques.

80. Katherine Nancy<sup>8</sup>Jaques (Duane Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Jaques, Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.Jaques, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam,Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam,Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George,Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born September 24,1912, Long Beach,California, married Harlan Baird Robinson.



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## Child

110. 1. Orth Robinson b. April 18, 1939.

Child of No.42, Frank Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Jaques.

81. Frank Hartzell<sup>8</sup>Jaques, Jr. (Frank Hartzell<sup>7</sup>Jaques, Nancy Estelle<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m. Jaques, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born June 14, 1928.

End of Eighth Generation



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## NINTH GENERATION - Great Great Grandchildren

Children of No.44, LeRoy Jackson<sup>8</sup>Hyde.

82. Harold Beardslee<sup>9</sup>Hyde (Roy J.<sup>8</sup>Hyde, Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson m.Hyde, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.lst Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born October 8, 1905, Wichita, Kansas, married July 1927, Iowa, Elizabeth Caville Smith, born January 4, 1903, Seward, Illinois. Residence, R.F.D., Rockford, Illinois. (1942) (See also Appendix)

83. Dorothy Alice<sup>9</sup>Hyde (Roy J.<sup>8</sup>Hyde, Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson, m.Hyde, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.lst Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born June 19, 1908, Wichita, Kansas, married December 19, 1933, Kansas City, Missouri, Garrett G. Steinbeck, born June 29, 1909. Residence, 3920 Wyandotte, Kansas City, Missouri. (1942)

84. Marjorie Ella<sup>9</sup>Hyde (Roy J.<sup>8</sup>Hyde, Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson, m.Hyde, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.lst Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born October 10, 1910, Muskogee, Oklahoma, married June 8, 1935, Winnebago, Illinois, Clifford Ellsworth Whitney, born December 23, 1907, Seward, Illinois.

Marjorie Hyde Whitney has the Hyde Family Bible which has entries as early as 1776. Address of Mr. and Mrs. Whitney is R.F.D., Winnebago, Illinois. (1942) (See also Appendix, p.150)

## Children

111.	i. Joyce Eleane Whitney	b. Aug. 4, 1936, Rockford, Ill.
112.	ii. Jean Loretta Whitney	b. June 10, 1939, " "
113.	iii. Joan Marjorie Whitney	b. Feb. 3, 1941, " "

Child of No.45, Walter Henry<sup>8</sup>Hyde.

85. Walter Hubert<sup>9</sup>Hyde (Walter Henry<sup>8</sup>Hyde, Julia Ella<sup>7</sup>Jackson m.Hyde, Margaret S.<sup>6</sup>Hartzell m.lst Jackson, Michael Bash<sup>5</sup>Hartzell, Adam, Jr.<sup>4</sup>, John Adam, Sr.<sup>3</sup>, John George, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, John George) born December 6, 1915, Kansas City, Missouri, married February 4, 1940, Waco, Texas, Dorothy Mae Goodman, born March 11, 1915, San Marcus, Texas. Walter Hubert Hyde is in the U.S. Army Air Corps during the Second World War. Home address, Bryan, Texas. (1943)

Child (See also Appendix, p.150)

114. i. Michael Walter Hyde, b. Nov. 12, 1943, Bryan, Texas.



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Names and dates of births of others of the NINTH GENERATION (numbers 86 through 110) will be found under names of their parents of the EIGHTH GENERATION. So far as is known to this compiler, numbers: 82, 83, 84 & 85 are the only members of the NINTH GENERATION who are old enough to be married (1943) Therefore, it has not been deemed necessary to repeat the little data known about the others under heading of the NINTH GENERATION.

End of Ninth Generation.

## TENTH GENERATION - Gt. Gt. Gt. Grandchildren

The three little Whitney girls: Joyce, Jean and Joan, daughters of No. 84, Marjorie Ella<sup>9</sup>Hyde m. Whitney (page 72) and little Michael Walter Hyde, son of No. 85, Walter Hubert<sup>9</sup>Hyde, (page 72) are of the TENTH GENERATION of this branch of the Hartzell family in America, descendants of the Immigrant Ancestor, John George Hartzell of Northampton County, Pennsylvania; being the 111th, 112th, 113th and 114th descendants of Michael and Nancy Hartzell who came from Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania to Rock Island County, Illinois in 1836.

End of Tenth Generation

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Note: Later data will be found in an APPENDIX.



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## HARTZELL - MISCELLANEOUS

The following Hartzell lineages are included here because relationship is claimed (although not proven) to the family of Michael and Nancy Hartzell of Rock Island County, Illinois.

## I

Data from: Bernice(Burket)Lagrisse, Wichita, Kansas(1943); C.W.Hartzell of Pasadena, California(1943); Isaac Orange Judd Hartzell, August, 1931(in notes of Dr.J.Culver Hartzell).

- 1<sup>1</sup>-John Hartzell, b.June,1802;d.Aug.,1867;mar.Mch.26,1829,Pa.  
Mary Gardner, b.1811; d.July 15,1893.
- 1<sup>2</sup>-Sarrahah Barbary Hartzell, b.Apr.14,1831; d.July 11,1869.
- 2<sup>2</sup>-Noah N.Hartzell, b.Feb.25,1832,Pa.;d.Jan.25,1871(8) La  
Harpe,Illinois., mar.1860.  
Rebecca Weatherington,b.1830,Ohio;d.1922,LaHarpe,Ill.
- 1<sup>3</sup>-Isaac Orange Judd Hartzell,b.1866,LaHarpe,Ill.,m.1892,  
Abbie Cassell, b.Dec.5,1872, Lincoln,Nebr.
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Helen Hartzell, b.1893, mar. \_\_\_\_\_ Raich
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Edson Keith Hartzell,b.1895;Gen'l Passenger Agent  
Lake Shore Elec.Railway Co.,Sandusky,O.(1931)
- 3<sup>4</sup>-Rachel Hartzell, b. 1897, mar. \_\_\_\_\_ Bunn
- 3<sup>2</sup>-Lousanah Hartzell,b.Feb.25,1832(twin);d.Sept.19,1833.
- 4<sup>2</sup>-Nathaniel Calendar Hartzell,b.July 29,1834,d.Aug.7,1907,m.  
Wife
- 1<sup>3</sup>-C.W.(Chas.Wesley?)Hartzell,b.1864.Letter from him\*
- 2<sup>3</sup>-Marion Calvin Hartzell, b.1867.
- 3<sup>3</sup>-J.Newton Hartzell, b.1871.
- 4<sup>3</sup>-Edward Hunter Hartzell, b. \_\_\_\_\_ d.1931.
- 5<sup>3</sup>-Ollie Belle Hartzell, b. \_\_\_\_\_ d.Dec.3,1927.
- 5<sup>2</sup>-Franklin Mervin Hartzell, b.Jan.17,1836,d.Feb.14,1846.
- 6<sup>2</sup>-John Wesley Hartzell, b.Nov.10,1839;d.June 4,1914;mar.  
Elizabeth King, born in Davenport,Iowa.
- 1<sup>3</sup>-Mary Josephine Hartzell,b.1876,Grinnel,Ia.(has heard  
her father speak of "his cousin,Bishop Hartzell");m.  
Burket
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Bernice Burket,Atty.(1943)mar.Lagrisse;res.Wichita.
- 2<sup>3</sup>-Elenora Hartzell, mar. \_\_\_\_\_ Anderson
- 3<sup>3</sup>-Harry Hartzell
- 4<sup>3</sup>-Willie Hartzell, died in infancy.
- 7<sup>2</sup>-Christopher Gardner Hartzell,b.Oct.20,1842;d.Jan.22,1843.
- 8<sup>2</sup>-Mary Emily Hartzell, b.June 12,1847; d.Jan.26,1849.

\*Note: C.W.Hartzell writes(1943)that as a small child he remembers 3 Hartzells visiting in his home,1 from Davenport,Ia.and 1 from Malcomb,Ia. and after the death of his grandmother(1893) they never came again.He remembers their names as:Michael Hartzell, Abe Hartzell and Bishop Hartzell.This compiler has been unable to find the relationship to Michael Hartzell of Rock Island Co.,Ill.



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## II

Data from: Lionel E. Hartzell of Wichita and his mother, Mrs. George Albert Hartzell (1943); Miss Myrtle K. Hartzell; and Phillis (Holmes) McLaughlin (from notes of Dr. J. C. Hartzell, 1931)

Several families from near Altoona, Pennsylvania, including 4 Hartzell families, came west to Missouri abt. 1870, stopping for a time in Ohio, enroute. They traveled down the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers to near St. Louis. Geo. Albert Hartzell and family and the Wagner family stayed in this vicinity. His brother, John Hartzell and family settled near St. Joseph, Missouri. The other families, whose names are not remembered, returned to the east and all contact with them has been lost.

1<sup>1</sup>-George Hartzell, b. Prob. on farm nr. Altoona & Harrisburg, Pa. married twice.

a. 1st Wife

1<sup>2</sup>-Conrad Hartzell, mar., 2 children

2<sup>2</sup>-John Hartzell

3<sup>2</sup>-Samuel Hartzell, mar., several sons and daughters.

4<sup>2</sup>-George Hartzell, b. Mch. 9, 1821 on farm nr. Altoona & Harrisburg, Pa., d. Aug., 1904, mar.

Mary Robinson, b. 1823, d. Aug., 1904.

1<sup>3</sup>-George Hartzell, mar., children: Effie and Mate.

2<sup>3</sup>-Lloyd Hartzell, Physician, mar., daughter: Henrietta.

3<sup>3</sup>-Emory Hartzell, mar., children: Olga, Oma, Bess.

4<sup>3</sup>-Howard Hartzell, mar., children: Lee and Hazel.

5<sup>3</sup>-Charles Hartzell

6<sup>3</sup>-Edward Hartzell

7<sup>3</sup>-Caroline Hartzell, m. a: Mr. Pope, ch: John; m. b: Mr. Lyons.

8<sup>3</sup>-Mollie Hartzell, m. Mr. Lehman, ch.: Chas, Lloyd, Nellie, Roy.

9<sup>3</sup>-Clarabelle Hartzell, b. Sept. 9, 1864, mar. July 7, 1887,

Ernest Robinson Holmes, b. May 17, 1862, d. Oct. 16, 1928.

1<sup>4</sup>-Phillis Holmes, b. Mch. 6, 1889, mar. Feb. 24, 1914,

Harry Charles McLaughlin, b. Aug. 8, 1886.

2<sup>4</sup>-Constana Holmes, mar.

Mr. Sperry; children: Virginia and Evart.

10<sup>3</sup>-Lulu Hartzell, mar. Mr. Dunbar.

b. 2nd Wife, the Widow Brotherton (order of births of children not known)

5<sup>2</sup>-Jacob Hartzell, mar.

Wife

1<sup>3</sup>-John Hartzell, moved from Altoona, Pa. to St. Joe, Mo., mar.

Sarah Hurley (sd to have had sister Rebecca, m. a Hartzell)

1<sup>4</sup>-William Hartzell, b. 1851, Altoona, Pa., when a boy, rem. with parents to Ohio, later to St. Joseph, Mo., mar.

Wife, mar. in St. Joseph, Mo.

1<sup>5</sup>-Eugene A. Hartzell, lived in St. Louis, Mo., 1931.

2<sup>5</sup>-Daughter Hartzell, mar.

A. J. Winchell, lived in Kansas City, Mo., 1931.

3<sup>5</sup>-Daughter Hartzell, mar.

F. A. Hanat, lived in Kansas City, Mo., 1931.

4<sup>5</sup>-Myrtle K. Hartzell, Lived in Kansas City, Mo., 1931.



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- 2<sup>4</sup>-Emanuel P. Hartzell, d. abt. 1921, St. Louis, Mo. b. near Altoona, Pa., came to Mo. with parents when a boy. Lived St. Joseph, Mo., was 33rd Degree Mason and a Grand Army man (accord. to Miss Myrtle Hartzell)
- 3<sup>4</sup>-Clark Hartzell, lived St. Paul, Minn., thought to have had a son who was a dentist in Minneapolis.
- 4<sup>4</sup>, 5<sup>4</sup>, 6<sup>4</sup>, 7<sup>4</sup>, 8<sup>4</sup>, 9<sup>4</sup> ("Six other children, all daughters")
- 2<sup>3</sup>-George Albert Hartzell, b. abt. 1835, d. abt. 1880, mar. Mary \_\_\_\_\_ mar. in Altoona, Pa., west with family to Mo.
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Mary Hartzell
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Ellen Hartzell
- 3<sup>4</sup>-George Albert Hartzell, Jr., b. Mch. 21, 1860; d. 1924, rem. with parents from Altoona, Pa. to Ohio and to nr. St. Louis, Mo. Said to have been a 2nd cousin to Bishop Hartzell (p. 41). Was "on a fishing boat" at time of marriage, nr. St. Louis, abt. 1882, mar. Mary Margaret Wagner (cousin) b. 1860, nr. Altoona, Pa., came with parents to Ohio and to Mo. abt. 1870, traveling down the Miss. Riv. Information from her. Living, Bellview, near St. Louis, Mo.. 1943.
- 1<sup>5</sup>-William Otto Hartzell, b. July 5, 1884 d. 1905.
- 2<sup>5</sup>-Samuel Ira Hartzell, b. Jan. 7, 1890, d. 1943, mar. Wife
- 1<sup>5</sup>-George F. Hartzell, U.S. Army, 1943.
- 2<sup>6</sup>-Madaline Hartzell
- 3<sup>5</sup>-Lionel Elmer Hartzell, b. Jan. 12, 1895, Ironton, Mo., Membr. Amer. Legion & Masonic Orders. Assoc. with Boeing Aircraft Corp., Wichita, Kans., mar. Iva Christine Vance, b. Mch. 4, 1900, Wichita, Kans., dau. of Lee & Fanny Vance and a descendant of the Jefferson Davis family.
- 1<sup>6</sup>-Barbara May Hartzell, b. Aug. 30, 1928, Wichita, Ks.
- 4<sup>5</sup>-Fay Alice Hartzell, b. May 14, 1898, mar. \_\_\_\_\_ a. \_\_\_\_\_ Abbott, three children b. \_\_\_\_\_ living, 1943, Phoenix, Ariz.
- 5<sup>5</sup>-Ernest Hartzell, d. infancy
- 6<sup>5</sup>-son Hartzell, d. Infancy
- 4<sup>4</sup>-David Hartzell, b. Altoona, Pa. abt. 1866, to Mo. when ae. 4.
- 5<sup>4</sup>-Lionel Hartzell, nicknamed "Jake".
- 3<sup>3</sup>-Jacob Hartzell, said to have mar. the widow of Jacob Hartzell of Northampton Co., Pa. He was uncle to both Geo. Albert Hartzell, Jr. & his wife. (from Mrs. Geo. Albert Hartzell, Jr., 1941)
- 4<sup>3</sup>-Daughter Hartzell, mar. in Altoona, Pa. \_\_\_\_\_ Wagner. They came to Mo. with Hartzell fam., 1870.
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Mary Margaret Wagner, m. Geo. Albert Hartzell, Jr., above.
- 5<sup>3</sup>-other children, names not known.
- 6<sup>2</sup>-Solomon Hartzell
- 7<sup>2</sup>-James Hartzell
- 8<sup>2</sup>-Sarah Hartzell
- 9<sup>2</sup>-Margaret Hartzell
- 10<sup>2</sup>-Mary Hartzell
- 11<sup>2</sup>-Caty Hartzell



## ALLIED FAMILIES



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## BASH

This family name probably was originally spelled Bûsh, in Germany, but after members of the family came to America, in an attempt to anglicize the name and still retain the sound of the German umlaut, it was spelled on colonial records and early church records: Basch, Bauch, Bausch, Berch, Besch, Boach, Boeach, Bosh, Buch, Bûch, Buech, Buesch, Bueche, Busch, Bûsch, Busche, and Bôsch.

The Bash immigrant ancestor of Michael Bash Hartzell was Martin Bash (Besch, Berch, Busch) of Pennsylvania, who is said to have been born in Germany about 1728-38. We find the name of John Martin Busch (with other immigrants) in the PENNSYLVANIA GERMAN PIONEERS, by R. B. Strassburger & W. J. Hinke, 1934, Vol.1, page 390:

(List 124 C) At the Court House at Philadelphia  
Thursday the 24th Day of August, 1749  
Present: Samuel Hassell, )  
Robert Strettell) Esquires  
Joshua Maddox )

The Foreigners whose names are underwritten, imported in Ship Elliott, Captain James Adams, from Rotterdam but last from Cowes in England, did this day take the usual Qualifications to the Government. Palatines. By list 87, Souls 240.

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.....  
Johan Martin Busch  
.....  
(and others)

We find that among these early German immigrants the first baptismal names of John and Mary were used a great deal. They seem to have been "Liebesnomen", or to have had a religious significance, and were dropped in common usage. So, Johan Martin becomes Martin in later records found of him.

We have no record of the early residence of Martin Bash in America, although the HISTORY OF STARK COUNTY, OHIO, by W. H. Perrin, publ. 1881, page 796, speaks of his son, Martin, Jr., (born 1764) as a native of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

The first record we have of residence of Martin Bash, Sr. is on tax lists of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, for the year of 1783. It is probable that he was there much earlier, for the 1783 records are the earliest preserved tax lists of Westmoreland County and we find his well established there by that date. He lived first in Mt. Pleasant Township, and later, in 1785, bought land in Washington Township, as is shown in the PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Third Series:



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Vol.22 - Tax List, Mt.Pleasant Twp., Westmoreland Co., Pa., 1783  
p.431: Martin Berch, 50 Acres, 2 horses, 3 cattle, 4 sheep.

Vol.22 - Tax List, Mt.Pleasant Twp., Westmoreland Co., Pa., 1786  
p.519: Martain Bash, 2 shilling, 6 pence  
p.526: John Bash, single, 13 shilling, 5 pence  
" : Martin Bash, single, 13 shilling, 6 pence

Vol.26 - Warrantees of Land, Westmoreland Co., Pa., 1773-1792  
p.379: Martin Bash 340 Acres, surveyed May 4, 1785

Vol.26 - Warrantees of Land, Westmoreland Co., Pa., 1773-1792  
p.402: Martin Berch 193 Acres, surveyed Apr.18, 1800.

In 1795, Martin Bash of Washington Township, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, sold land to Christian Yockey, Sr. (Patent Book 43, p.38) (Deed Book 3, p.195). In 1803, Martin Bash sold a "tract of land to Henry Bash, bought May 4, 1785, reserving two fields, one on which the house stands and the other field against it facing the River, for himself, his wife Catherine, and their heirs", who are not named. (Deed Book 7, p.66) This land was part of a Patent, a portion of which he had earlier sold to Conrad Knappenburger.

The river mentioned is probably the Kiskiminetas, in Washington Township. We find that his son John and descendants lived near the Kiskiminetas and the town of Avonmore, in the townships of Loyalhanna, Bell and Washington. \*

Martin Bash, Jr. and descendants lived near the headwaters of Sewickly Creek, near Pleasant Unity, in Unity Township. Most of the children of Martin Bash, Sr. married residents of Mt. Pleasant Township.

At the time of the Revolutionary War, Westmoreland County was frontier country. Many of the younger men enlisted and went east to fight with Continental Troops, while the older men formed themselves into Companies for the protection of the frontier. The name of Martin Bash (Berch) and the names of many of his neighbors, appear on a "List of Rangers on the Frontier from 1778 to 1783", as members of Captain James Clark's Company. (PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Third Series, Vol.23, pp.226 and 319)

We find, also, the name of Martin Bash, Private, Westmoreland County Militia, on a list of "Soldiers who rec'd Depreciation Pay, 1783, as per Cancelled Certificates on file in the Division of Public Records, Pa. State Library". (PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Fifth Series, Vol.IV, pp. 429 and 735.)

After the Revolution, on December 12, 1792, Martin Bash

\*Note: Lysle Bash, hardware merchant of Avonmore was a member of the S.A.R. on record of his ancestor, John Bash, above.



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was elected Captain of the 3rd Company, 4th Battalion, of Westmoreland County Militia (PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, Sixth Series, Vol.IV, p.173.)

The United States Census Report of Westmoreland County for 1790 gives Martin Bash, Sr. and two of his sons:

Washington Twp.	- Martin Bash,	2 m.over 16, 3 under, 5 fem.
Unity Twp.	- John Bash	1 m.over 16, 3 fem.
Unity Twp.	- Martin Bash	1 m.over 16, 2 fem.

An unfruitful effort has been made to find birth records for the seven children of Martin Bash, Sr. Probably his four oldest children were born before he came west, but it is thought that the three youngest were born in Westmoreland County. Their names do not appear on the Baptismal Records of John Wilhelm Weber of the First Reformed Church of Greenburg, although some of the baptisms in those records were as early as 1776, and are the earliest existing baptismal records of that part of the state. However, those records contain a note: "Baptised on August 27, 1783, at home- 13 children whose names were not recorded"; also, several other notations of many children baptized at different times, "whose names were not recorded in this book."

It has been said that Martin Bash, Sr. belonged to the Congregation of the Unity Reformed Church, Mt. Pleasant, Hempfield Township, in 1783, but no verification of this has been found.\*

To whatever church he belonged he was very firm in his religious belief and objected strongly when his daughter, Barbara, embraced the Methodist faith. His two sons, John and Martin, Jr. and their descendants, who remained in Westmoreland County, belonged to the Reformed and Lutheran churches, but his three youngest children married Methodists and moved to Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois. This difference about religion seems to have caused a rift in the family. (See Obituary of Barbara, Appendix, p.142)

Martin Bash, Sr. died in Washington Township in 1824, leaving no will. On March 30, 1824, his son, John Bash, and Adam

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\*Note: The only church of Hempfield Twp. of which we have found record was Harold's Church, so called because it first met in Harold's barn. It later split into St. John's Reformed and the Zion Lutheran. Harold's Reformed Church Records, 1784-92, 1820-62, and also Hempfield Township Zion Evangelical Lutheran Records, comp. 1922, are in the Library of Nat'l Soc., D.A.R.

# Note: Barbara Bash attended the Methodist services at Ligonier, "Against parental objection", walking the 10 miles from her home, according to her obituary, photostat copy in possession of a descendant, Miss Margaret Waters of Indianapolis, Indiana.



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Bowman were appointed administrators of his estate, each giving a \$500.00 bond. (Administration Docket Vol. A, p.199, also Orphans' Court Book 3, p.412, also File 14 F, 1846, which was missing from Court Records in 1942) No heirs are mentioned in these proceedings.

The place of burial of Martin Bash, Sr. is not known, but a Revolutionary Soldier marker for him has been placed on the grave of his son, Martin Bash, Jr. in the Bash-Summers Private Burying Ground near Pleasant Unity, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania.

Data of his children and some of their descendants will be found in succeeding pages. Members of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution on Revolutionary Service of Martin Bash, Sr. are:

Cora Lauffer McDowell (Mrs. Harry H.)	Nat'l No.	278,616
Arline Smith Lindsey (Mrs. Williard M.)	" "	288,673
Margaret Ruth Waters (Miss)	" "	335,130
Helen Jackson Black (Mrs. Hal M.)	" "	317,638
(this compiler - Supplemental Claim)		

After Martin Bash, Jr. died in January (or June) of 1845, leaving no will, his heirs, on August 23, 1845, filed a suit for partitioning of his estate (Partition Docket 7, p.129), the heirs being given as: Michael Bash, Henry Bash, Catherine intermarried with John Bear, Susannah intermarried with Henry Christman, Christiana intermarried with Jacob Fry, Barbara intermarried with Simon Summer, Magdalena, single, Mary Bear heirs, Margaret Rumbaugh heirs and Margaret Rumbaugh Kuhn heirs. The plot of Putport "A" shows 86 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres strict measurement "of which 2 acres are reserved for a graveyard". "The real estate was valued at \$3,687.00 and the personal estate at \$3,521.00."

The partitioning proceedings "were resisted" by the son, Henry Bash, who claimed to be the owner of the land as verbally promised to him by the father, Martin Bash, Jr. as a return for the many years that he (Henry) had stayed at home and worked the farm and taken care of his aging parents with that understanding. A compromise agreement was reached and Henry accepted his "child's share" of the father's estate.

However, some time later, Henry filed a Breach of Contract Suit in the Court of Common Pleas against his brother Michael and the other heirs, producing many witnesses and winning his case. Charging error in the lower court, the lawsuit, BASH vs BASH, was appealed to the State Supreme Court as is reported in PENNSYLVANIA STATUTES, Vol. 9, p.260. The decision of the Supreme Court was that the verbal contract was not binding, and the recommendation of the court was that Henry refile his suit against the estate on the grounds of wages due him.



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Apparently a settlement was reached on this basis for the HISTORY OF WESTMORELAND CO., PA., by John N. Boucher, says that Henry inherited the homestead of his father. (Error in that article gives the father of Henry as Henry, instead of Martin, Jr. (See Bash Chart)

Regarding this lawsuit of BASH vs BASH, we quote from the notes of Dr. J. Culver Hartzell:

Bash:-All the following from Miss Laura Bash, Feb. 2, 1931:  
 "....You will note that one of the witnesses in the case Bash vs Bash is Martin B. Hartzell. Might this man be a son of Catherine Bash and Adam Hartzell?" (Adam & Catherine (Bash) Hartzell had a son Martin who was born Jan. 8, 1807.....) "You will note he says he is a nephew of Martin Bash"....."My attorney friend wrote to John M. Bash, Pleasant Unity, Pa. for information and he brought to the attorney's office a transcript of the testimony in the case Bash vs Bash, which went to the Supreme Court of Penna. in 1849 and is reported in 9 Pa., 260. This case was between Michael and Henry Bash, the two sons of Martin Bash." (If Martin Bash Hartzell was a nephew of Martin Bash who died in 1846, then he must have been the son of a sister of this Martin, and this sister must have married a Hartzell .....)  
 "John Bash, who was one of the witnesses said that he was a brother of Martin Bash and that he was one and a half years older than Martin Bash. He said that he was 88 years old when he gave this testimony in 1849. He further said that he had lived at Kiskiminetas 55 or 56 years. Martin B. Hartzell said he was a nephew of Martin Bash. He also stated that Martha and Barbara were older than he, Barbara being one or two years older. He further stated that Catherine Bash was older than Martha. One witness stated that Martin Bash's wife died in 1835 or 36. The following is from an attorney at Greensburg, Westmoreland Co., Pa. 'My examination of the Westmoreland Co. records show that there may have been two groups of Bashes in the County. Over along the Kiskiminetas River we have a group of Bashes principally at Avonmore, and I am writing to Lysle W. Bash, a hardware merchant there, and a member of the S.A.R. to help clear up the matter ..... The earliest record I find over on the Kiskiminetas, which would be Bell Twp., formerly Washington or perhaps Loyalhanna, is the following: Patent: Commonwealth of Pa. to John Bash, Dec. 6, 1828, recorded June 19, 1885. Grants a tract of Land of 240 acres and 44 perches in Washington township, bounders, Anthony Cyphert, Simon Hine, Henry Frick. (D.B. 135, p. 134) Will: John Bash, late of Loyalhanna Township, deceased. Will Bk. 3, p. 257, dated May 16, 1842, probated Feb. 14, 1850, no date of birth given. Michael Bash and Henry Bash, executors. Divide of real estate to Martin Bash, 113 acres, with bequests to and charges in favor of the following heirs: (1) Henry Bash, (2) Catherine, wife of Christian Jacky (Likely intended for Yorkey) (3) Maria, wife of David Canygan (likely intended for Carnahan) (4) Susanna, wife of Jacob Wolfarth (Wolfert), (5) John Bash .....'  
 Over on the headwaters of Sewickly Creek, near Pleasant Unity,



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25 or 30 miles from the above location, we find records relating thereto as follows: Deed. Michael Stockburger and Charlotte, his wife, to Martin Bash (D.B. 8, p.132) dated June 8, 1799, recorded Apr.11,1807, consideration 238 pounds, 10 shillings, conveys 79 Acres, Unity Township ....."

etc. as quoted above regarding the Partitioning Suit.

This compiler has been unable to locate Miss Laura Bash, Mr. Lysle Bash or Avonmore, or the attorney who wrote to Miss Laura Bash and who (by his letter) expected to write to Mr. Lysle Bash. Also, all efforts to find the transcript of the lawsuit Bash vs Bash as tried in the lower court, Have been of no avail. The transcript is "missing" from the County Records at the Court House in Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Maddocks, genealogist of Greensburg, who has verified many of these records, believes that the attorney in Greensburg to whom John M. Bash showed the transcript in 1931, was Mr. Albert Bell, who retired from the practice of law about 1938, who is now quite aged and whose mind is impaired.

Mrs. Maddocks quotes Arthur Thomas, who was Prothonotary at that date (1931) as saying that he had no recollection of any records being taken out without a card being placed in the files, but that John M. Bash was one of the Poor Directors at that time and was in and out of the Court House and his office so often that Mr. Thomas paid very little attention to him.

John M. Bash died about 1939-40 and his widow knows nothing of the transcript. A search is being made of old papers in the office of Mr. Bell and in his home, and, although many papers have been found which should have been returned to the County Records, this transcript of testimony in the lawsuit, Bash vs Bash in the Court of Common Pleas has not yet been found.



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- 1<sup>1</sup>-Martin Bash(Johan Martin Busch)(Berch) b.abt.1728-38,Germany,  
d.1824,Washington Twp.Westmoreland Co.Pa.,arrived  
Philadelphia,August 24,1749(see p.78), Tax Lists  
Mt.Pleasant Twp.West.Co.1783, Land Patent.Wash.Twp.  
1785.Revolutionary Service:Penna.Arch.3rd Series  
Vol.23,pp.226,319;5th Ser.Vol.4,pp.429,735. U.S.  
Census 1790,Wash.Twp., d.intestate. mar.,  
Catherine, born Germany
- 1<sup>2</sup>-John Bash(Besch,Bosch) b.1762,d.1850,Loyalhanna Twp.,bur.  
St.James Reformed Ch.Cem.,Bell Twp.,Westmoreland  
Co.Pa.;Rev.Soldier,grave marked by S.A.R.;Tax List  
single,1785,Mt.Pleasant Twp.West.Co.Pa.;U.S.Census  
1790,Unity Twp.,West.Co.;one of administrators of  
father's estate(p.80);Land Patent,1827(Pa.Arch.3rd  
Ser.Vol.26,p.403)res.Kiskiminetas;Witness in case  
Bash vs Bash(p.82) Will probated Feb.14,1850(p.82)  
Michael Bash & Henry Bash,exec.;mar.prior to 1790,  
Magdalena Lauffer, daughter of Christian Lauffer. \*
- 1<sup>3</sup>-Henry Bash, b.abt.1787, one of exec. of will, 1850.
- 2<sup>3</sup>-Catherine Bash, b.Abt.1789, living in 1850; mar,  
Christian Jacky (Yorkey) Jr.
- 3<sup>3</sup>-Maria,b.Nov.27,1791;bpt.Feb.9,1792,St.Johns Ref.& Luth.  
Ch.,Middle Churches;liv.1850;mar.Mt.Pleasant Twp.,  
David Carnygan (Carnahan)
- 4<sup>3</sup>-Susanna,b.Dec.11,1793,bpt.Apr.6,1794,John Wilhelm Weber  
1st Reform'd Ch.,Greensburg,Pa.;living 1850; mar.,  
Jacob Wolfarth (Wolfert)
- 5<sup>3</sup>-John,Jr., b.Dec.20,1795;bapt.Apr.25,1795, John Wilhelm  
Weber, living 1850.
- 6<sup>3</sup>-Martin,b.Mch.7,1798; bapt. May 13,1798, John Wilhelm  
Weber; died prior to 1850; mar,  
Juliahann,dau.Michael Kunkle of Wash.Twp.(Deed,1847)
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Magdalena)
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Martin ) mentioned in Will
- 3<sup>4</sup>-Jacob,mar) of grandfather
- Rachel Learn
- 4<sup>4</sup>-Christian)
- 7<sup>3</sup>-Jacob, b.Oct.11,1801; bapt.Apr.18,1802, John Wilhelm  
Weber;prob.d.infancy as not mentioned in Will.
- 2<sup>2</sup>-Martin Bash(Besch)Jr.,b.Mch(Apr?Sept?)30,1764;"a native  
of Lancaster Co.Pa."(Hist.Stark Co.O.,1881)"set-  
tled nr Pleasant Unity,Unity Twp."(Hist.& Biog.  
Cyclo.of Westmoreland Co.Pa.,Gressham) Tax List,  
single,1786,Mt.Pleasant Twp.West.Co.;U.S.Census,  
1790,Unity Twp.;d.(Jan?)June 30,1845,"age 80 yr.  
9 mo.20 da.";bur Bash-Summers Private Burying  
Gds(grave has Rev.Marker for his father) on his  
land,bought,1799,from Michael Stockburger and  
wife Charlotte;Lutheran;after his death his child-

\*Note: See Lauffer, page 94.



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- ren had several lawsuits over his estate. (see page 81); married about 1786,  
 Margaret Aukerman (Ackerman) b. Jan. 26, 1763; d. Jan. 15, 1835; "age 71 yr. 11 mo. 20 da." bur. Bash-Sumers Burying Grounds nr. Pleasant Unity; dau. of Jacob Ackerman, arriv. Phil. Aug. 21, 1750 (Rupp's 30,000 Names) Data of Children from: Biog. & Hist. Cyclopedia of Westmorel'd Co. Pa., Gressham; Hist. Stark Co., O., 1881, Perrin; Mrs. Lindsey; Mr. Fisher; notes of Dr. J. Culver Hartzell; Baptismal Records of Rev. John Wilhelm Weber; Marriage Records of Rev. Jonas Melching; etc.
- 13-Michael Bash, b. Apr. 11, 1787 (Tombstone) or Mch. 11, 1789 (Hist. Stark Co.) in Westmorel'd Co.; d. Aug. 22, 1862, bur. Lawsuit over his father's estate, 1845-46-47-48-49 (see p. 81); data of children from: Hist. & Biog. Cycl. West. Co. Pa., Gressham; Hist. Stark Co., O., Perrin; Mrs. Lindsey; Mr. Fisher; etc., married,  
 Sarah Rugh, dau. of Hon. Jacob Rugh of nr. Greensburg and wife Sabilla (Mechlin) Righ. (Cycl. West. Co., Gressham)
- 14-John Bash, died in infancy.
- 24-Michael R. Bash, died age 2 years.
- 34-Jacob Bash, b. Nov. 2(9), 1821, Mt. Pleasant Twp., Westmorel'd Co. Pa.; d. Feb. 22, 1889. Bible Rcds, beginning with Jacob, owned by Reuben Bash, farm near Massilon, Ohio; Stark Co., Hist. by Perrin, 1881, p. 796: "Jacob, farmer, P.O. Massilon, resident Tuscarawas Twp. since 1864". Was St. Representative, Tuscarawar Twp.; married, Westmoreland Co. Pa. by Rev. Melching, Apr. 29, 1856,  
 Lavina Hoffman, b. Mch. 31, 1826; d. Aug. 10, 1899; dau. of George Hoffman (Huffman) of Penn Twp. West. Co. Pa.
- 15-Martha Jane Bash, b. Apr. 12, 1857; mar. Oct. 31, 1878, Henry H. Snyder
- 25-John Rugh Bash, b. Feb. 17, 1859; d. Dec. 12, 1862
- 35-Sibylla Lavina Bash, b. Dec. 25, 1863; living 1943, Chicago, Ill.; mar. Apr. 21, 1886,  
 Charles Smith, b. May 26, 1857; d. Jan. 10, 1934
- 16-Dan Smith, mar.  
 D. H. Forbush
- 26-Nella Smith, mar.  
 Hall
- 36-Arline Bash Smith, D.A.R. Nat'l No. 288,672 on Rev. Service of Dewalt Mechlin & of Martin Bash, Sr.; Res. 1544 S. Phillips Ave. Chi. Ill. m. Williard M. Lindsey.
- 45-Jacob Lincoln Bash, b. June 15, 1865
- 55-Reuben Hoffman Bash, b. Aug. 15, 1866; mar. Apr. 2, 1889 Anna E. Rogers (he has Family Bible)
- 44-Benjamin Bash (from Hist. Stark Co., O.)
- 54-Daniel Bash " " " " "
- 64-John Henry Bash, b. Sept. 11, 1819, Westmorel'd Co. Pa., living 1890, farmer & stockman, 493 A., single, (Biog. & Hist. Cycl. Westmorl'd Co. Pa., Gresham)



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- 7<sup>4</sup>-Hannah Bash (from Hist.Stark Co.,O.)  
 8<sup>4</sup>-Susanna Sibella, of Mt.Pleasant Twp.Westmorel'd Co.Pa.  
 mar.by Rev.Jonas Mechling, Apr.3,1856,  
 Jacob S.Roadman(Rodemán)of Mt.Pleasant,d.nr.Keckburg.  
 1<sup>5</sup>-Sarah Roadman  
 2<sup>5</sup>-Mary Roadman, mar.  
 John Lauffer  
 1<sup>6</sup>-Cora Lauffer,D.A.R.Nat'l No.278,616 on Martin  
 Bash,Sr., res.Brownsville,Pa., mar.  
 Harry H. McDowell  
 1<sup>7</sup>-Children McDowell  
 3<sup>5</sup>-Ann Roadman, mar.  
 a. \_\_\_\_\_ Crouse  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_ Marks  
 9<sup>4</sup>-Sarah Bash (from Hist.Stark Co.,O.)  
 2<sup>3</sup>-Mary(Maria)Bash,b.Aug.19,1790,bp.Nov.21,1790 by John  
 Wilhelm Weber,1st Reform'd Ch.,Greensburg,Pa.;  
 d. prior to Lawsuit, 1846-49; mar.  
 Bear  
 1<sup>4</sup>-Adam Bear  
 2<sup>4</sup>-Martin Bear  
 3<sup>4</sup>-John Bear  
 4<sup>4</sup>-Margaret Bear  
 5<sup>4</sup>-Mary Bear  
 6<sup>4</sup>-Catherine Bear  
 7<sup>4</sup>-Drusilla Bear  
 3<sup>3</sup>-Catherine Bash, mar.  
 John Bear (Bare)  
 4<sup>3</sup>-Margaret(Anna Margretta)Bash,b.Aug.22,1792,bp.Dec.1,  
 1793 by John Wilhelm Weber,d.ere 1847, mar.  
 a.Ausius Rumbaugh  
 b.Phillip Kuhns(Kunz)  
 1<sup>4</sup>-Austin Rumbaugh  
 2<sup>4</sup>-John Kuhns  
 3<sup>4</sup>-Joseph Kuhns  
 4<sup>4</sup>-Martin Kuhns  
 5<sup>4</sup>-Susan Kuhns  
 5<sup>3</sup>-Charlotte Bash,b.Jan.13,1795,bp.Apr.7,1795 by John  
 Wilhelm Weber;d.Apr.20,1829,ae 34 yr.,bur.Bash-  
 Summers Burying Grounds. Unmarried  
 6<sup>3</sup>-Henry(Heinrich)Bash,b.July 15,1796,Westmorel'd Co.Pa.,  
 bp.Dec.24,1796 by John Wilhelm Weber,1st Reform'd  
 Ch.,Greensburg,Pa.;d.Oct.21,1864,ae 68 yrs;bur.  
 Bash-Summers Burying Gds; Lawsuits Bash vs Bash  
 (see p.31); "inherited his father's homestead"  
 (Hist.of Westmorel'd Co.,Pa. by Boucher) mar.by  
 Rev.Jonas Melching, May 12, 1831,  
 Mary Lehman,b.either Lancaster or Lebanon Counties;  
 both of Unity Twp.when mar.;they attended the  
 Lutheran Church. (Children as given by Boucher)  
 1<sup>4</sup>-Martin Luther Bash,b.Nov.28,1836,Pleasant Unity,  
 Westmorel'd Co.Pa.;d.May 23,1900;farmer & stock-  
 man;old homestead;Lutheran(Boucher) mar.1867,  
 Florinda Sibylla Gress,b.Dec.21,1841,Westmoreld Co.



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- Pa., dau. Henry & Susan (Samer) Gress. Names of ch.  
from Hist. Westmorel'd Co. by Boucher.
- 15-Mary Bash, b. Nov. 6, 1868. Res. 15883 Evanston,  
Detroit, Mich. (1943) mar.
- a. John Herr  
1<sup>6</sup>-John Herr  
2<sup>6</sup>-Genevieve Herr
- b. Harry Barnhart
- 25-Minnie F. Bash, b. Nov. 1, 1871, mar.  
Harry A. Fisher, living nr. Greensburg, 1942.  
1<sup>6</sup>-Ivan Fisher; 2<sup>6</sup>-Wilmer Fisher; 3<sup>6</sup>-Sam'l Fisher;  
4<sup>6</sup>-Martha Fisher
- 35-Harry M. Bash, b. Dec. 15, 1872, mar.  
Ida Belle Kessler  
1<sup>6</sup>-Clifford Bash; 2<sup>6</sup>-Hazel Bash
- 45-John M. Bash, b. Mch. 5, 1875; d. abt 1940; in 1930-31  
took transcript of lawsuit Bash vs. Bash as  
tried in lower court, to a lawyer in Greensburg  
who quoted it (p. 81). transcript lost; mar.  
Mary E. Bortz  
1<sup>6</sup>-Reuben; 2<sup>6</sup>-Walter; 3<sup>6</sup>-Marie; 4<sup>6</sup>-Irene
- 55-Edgar M. Bash, b. Sept. 19, 1878
- 24-(Anna) Margaret Bash, of Unity Twp., mar. by Rev.  
Jonas Mechling, Nov. 4, 1851;  
John Pore, son of George Pore of Mt. Pleasant Twp.
- 34-Harriet Bash, mar.  
George Rumbaugh, of Hartzell descent, who wrote to  
Dr. J. Culver Hartzell in 1930 that he believ-  
ed Catherine Bash who mar. Adam Hartzell, Jr.  
was a sister to Martin Bash, Jr.
- 44-Barbara Bash, single
- 54-Susan Bash, mar.  
John Bennett
- 64-Foster Bash, mar.  
Mary Bear
- 74-Sarah Bash(?)
- 73-Susanna Bash, b. July 26, 1800, bp. Nov. 16, 1800 by John  
Wilhelm Weber, 1st Refd Ch. Cheensburg, Pa., mar.  
Henry Christman
- 14-Sarah Christman, mar.  
Hershey  
15-Frank Hershey; 25-Ed. Hershey; 35-John Hershey;  
45-Joseph Hershey; 55-Eli Hershey
- 24-Mattie Christman, mar.  
Steele  
15-Ida Steele; 25-Will Steele; 35-Jim Steele
- 34-Sibylla Christman
- 44-William Christman, mar.  
Wife  
15-Sam Christman, single  
25-Jennie Christman, mar.  
Oberlin  
35-Will Christman  
45-Harry Christman



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- 55-Susan Christman, mar.  
Talley
- 65-Jim Christman, mar.  
Keller
- 83-Christina Bash, b.May 5,1802,bapt.Aug.29,1802 by Rev.  
John Wilhelm Weber, mar.  
a. Joe Kuhns(?)  
b. Jacob Fry, mar. prior to 1847.
- 93-Barbara Bash, b.Mch.6,1804,bapt.July 1,1804 by John  
Wilhelm Weber;d.June 13,1861,ae 57 yrs.;bur.  
Bash-Summers Private Burying Grounds; mar.  
by Rev.Jonas Melching, June 30,1842,  
Simon Summer(Sommer)of Unity Twp.;he & Barbara owned  
land next to original Bash Burying Gds.,  
which became known as Summer's for him and  
his descendants;(he mar.2nd,the widow  
Fetter and they had several children)
- 103-Martha Magdalena Bash, single in 1847, said to have  
lived with sister Barbara & Simon Summer.
- 32-Jacob Bash, b.abt.1768(?); married  
Rachel. Data from claim of Mrs. McDowell.
- 42-Henery Bash,b.abt.1776(?);Martin Bash,Sr.deeded part of  
his farm to Henry Hash in 1803; mar.  
Charlotte(Sharlotte);they moved to Muskingum Co.,O.1803-14.
- 52-Barbara Bash,b.Sept.17,1780,Westmorel'd Co.Pa.;d.Feb.5,  
1859,Cochocton,Co.,O.;mar.Apr.26,1803(Appendix,142)  
George Smith,b.July 8,1870,Delaware;d.Nov.18,1847,Cochoc-  
ton Co.,O.{over 600 descendants; Smith Family  
History being compiled by Miss Margaret Waters,  
Indianapolis, Ind., and D.D.Murphy of Oswego,  
Kansas}; moved to O.soon after mar.in Pa.
- 13-Catherine Smith,b.Apr.6,1804,Jefferson Co.,O.;d.July  
15,1868,Hancock Co.,Ind.;mar.,Hancock Co.Ind.  
about 1840-41, 2nd wife of  
Nacy Waters,Jr.,b.Sept.,1810,Montgomery Co.,Md.;d.Dec.  
17,1877,Hancock Co.,Ind.,son pf Nacy,Sr. and  
AnnWarfield)Waters.
- 14-Samuel Richard Waters,Sr.,b.Apr.12,1842,Cochocton  
Co.,O.;d.May 24,1882,Hancock,Co.,Ind.,mar.  
Hancock Co.,Ind.,Dec.22,1864,  
, Catherine Juliet Seacrist,b.Feb.3,1842,Montgomery  
Co.,O.;d.Dec.21,1889,Hancock Co.,Ind.(dau of  
John and Elizabeth(Baum)Seacrist) 7 child.incl.
- 65-Frank Raymond Waters,b.Apr.9,1876,Hancock Co.Ind.  
d.Jan.16,1932,Monroe Co.Ind.;mar.Tipton Co.Ind  
Dec.12,1901,  
Elizabeth Agnes Cooper,b.Aug.30,1876,Indianapolis,  
Ind.,living 1943,Indianapolis (dau.of Hamilton  
and Ann(Ray)Cooper) 2 children including
- 26-Margaret Ruth Waters,b.June 23,1905,Indianapo-  
lis,Ind.,res.Indianaoplis,1943;D.A.R.Nat'l  
No.335,130;one of her claims being on Martin  
Bash,Sr.;she & D.D.Murphy(below) are compil-  
ing Smith Family Genealogy,600 descendants.



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- 2<sup>3</sup>-Mary Smith, b. 1805, Jefferson Co., O.; d. Apr. 9, 1880, Madison Co., Ia., mar., Harrison Co., O., Nov. 9, 1825, Isaac Ruby, b. Sept. 12, 1802, Bradford Co., Pa.; d. Sept. 22, Madison Co., Ia. (son of John and Elizabeth (Beatty) Ruby); ten children
- 3<sup>3</sup>-Thomas J. Smith, b. June 13, 1807, Jefferson Co., O.; d. Mch. 17, 1858, Hancock Co., Ind.; mar. Harrison Co., O., Jan. 19, 1830, Dorcas Welling, (dau. of William & Dorcas (Wayman) Welling); no children.
- 4<sup>3</sup>-Hannah(?) Smith, b. 1807-13, not mentioned in father's will of 1845, but mother's obituary says they raised 10 children while the will mentions only 9; it is thought Hannah is the missing child as older members of the family speak of her son as "cousin"; mar. abt. 1832-33, Levi Eaton
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Benjamin Harrison Eaton, b. Dec. 15, 1833, Cochocton Co. O.; lived at Eaton Colo.; was governor of Colo.
- 5<sup>3</sup>-Martin Bash Smith, b. Dec. 25, 1813, Jefferson Co., O.; d. Mch. 12, 1888, Hancock Co., Ind.; mar. Harrison Co. O., Feb. 8, 1838, Rebecca Welling, b. Aug. 15, 1813, Harrison Co., O.; d. Aug. 1, 1887, Hancock Co., Ind. (dau. of William and Dorcas (Wayman) Welling); 9 children including
- 2<sup>4</sup>-William George Smith, b. Nov. 9, 1840, Cochocton Co., O. d. Jan. 22, 1912, Hancock Co., Ind.; mar. 1st, Mch. 22, 1866, Cochocton Co., O., Keziah Elizabeth Price, b. Oct. 4, 1844, Cochocton Co. O. d. July 6, 1900, Hancock Co., Ind. (dau. of Nathan & Nancy (May) Price) 4 children including
- 25-Chesteen Worthy Smith (D.D.) b. Dec. 9, 1870, Hancock Co., Ind.; retired Methodist minister; res. 1943, Washington, D.C.; quotes Bishop Hartzell as saying that Catherine Bash Hartzell and Barbara Bash Smith were sisters; mar., Putnam Co., Ind. June 27, 1894, Stella Barsheba Jordan, b. May 21, 1870, Delaware Co. O., res. 1943, Washington, D.C. (dau. of Rev. Wesley & Nancy (McNeill) Jordan); no children.
- 6<sup>3</sup>-Elizabeth D. Smith, b. abt. 1815, Jefferson Co., O.; d. Aug., 1893, Madison Co., Ia.; (the "Aunt Lib" of the letter quoted on p. 35.); mar., Hancock Co., Ind. Nov. 29, 1860, 3rd wife of William Beatty Ruby, b. Abt. 1804, Bradford Co., Pa.; d. May 2, 1889, Madison Co., Ia. (son of John and Elizabeth (Beatty) Ruby) (the "uncle Will" of the letter, p. 35); no children. (William and Isaac Ruby had a sister, Hester Ruby, who married Jacob Leinard and had, among other children, Melville Cox Leinard, also mentioned in letter)
- 7<sup>3</sup>-James Smith, b. Feb. 15, 1816, Jefferson Co., O.; d. Aug. 13, 1898, Madison Co., Ia.; mar., Cochocton Co., O., Oct. 8, 1840, 1st



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- a. Sarah Ann Stubbs, b. Dec. 19, 1819, England; d. Sept. 9, 1863, Coshocton Co., O.; Ten children; he married 2nd Coshocton Co., Dec. 28, 1865(68)
- b. Martha Johnston, b. Nov. 19, 1835, Hillsborough, Ireland; d. Dec. 13, 1896, Madison Co., Ia.; (dau. of John & Mary (Dukey) Johnston); the "Uncle Jimmie" and "Aunt Martha" of letter, p. 35; five child. inc.:
- 5<sup>4</sup>-Maggie May Smith, b. Aug. 14, 1874, Madison Co., Ia.; living 1943; talked of relationship abt. 1907, with Sena<sup>6</sup> Hartzell Wallace (p. 44), her second cousin; mar. Madison Co., Ia., Nov. 30, 1898, Franklin Marion Daniels, b. Aug. 20, 1868, Bloomington, Ill.; d. Aug. 26, 1932, Salina, Kans. (son of David B. & Nancy Jane (Williamson) Daniels; no child.; above conversation related 1943 to D. B. Murphy of Oswego, Kansas.
- 8<sup>3</sup>-Margaret Bash Smith, b. Apr. 26, 1818, Jefferson Co., O.; d. July 24, 1863, Hancock Co., Ind.; mar. Coshocton Co., O., Mch. 17, 1842, 1st wife of Nelson Hogle, b. Feb. 23, 1815, Coshocton Co., O.; d. Mch. 14, 1880, Hancock Co., Ind. (son of Michael and Polly (Langdon) Hogle); 8 children
- 9<sup>3</sup>-George C. Smith, b. Feb. 10, 1821, Jefferson Co., O.; mar. in Coshocton Co., O., Jan. 2, 1844, Eleanor Leslie, b. Feb. 12, 1819; five children.
- 10<sup>3</sup>-Barbara Smith, b. Nov. 12, 1823, Harrison Co., O.; d. Oct. 23, 1899, Harvey Co., Kans.; mar. Coshocton Co., O., April 6, 1843, Isaac Newton Hogle, b. Feb. 21, 1818, Coshocton Co., O.; d. Sept. 11, 1886, Madison Co., Ia.; (son of Michael & Polly (Langdon) Hogle.; eight children, inc.:
- 7<sup>4</sup>-Sarah Bashaba Hogle, b. Apr. 18, 1861, Hancock Co., Ind.; d. Apr. 5, 1943, Ellsworth, Kans.; mar. as 2nd wife, Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 14, 1893, husband of her deceased sister, 4<sup>4</sup>-Margaret Hogle, Thomas Parish Murphy, b. Apr. 27, 1840, Villierstown, County Waterford, Ireland; d. Dec. 4, 1915, Harvey Co., Kans. (son of William & Ellen (\_\_\_\_) Murphy. (She was writer of letter see p. 35, and also talked with Sena Hartzell Wallace, her second cousin, about the Bash relationship)
- 15-Donald Dudley Murphy, b. Oct. 22, 1898, Harvey Co., Kans.; served in 1st World War; now (1943) is Supt of Schools, Oswego, Kans., & co-compiler of Smith Genealogy; mar. Junction City, Kans., June 24, 1927, Josephine Bowen Powers, b. June 28, 1902, Junction City, Kansas; (dau. of Hale & Lulu Belle (Pierce) Powers); two children
- 6<sup>2</sup>-Catherine Bash, b. Sept. 13, 1783, Westmoreland Co., Pa.; d. Mch. 8, 1851, Rock Island Co., Ill.; mar. Westmoreland Co., Pa., Jan. 1, 1800, (Appendix, p. 142) (John?) Adam Hartzell, Jr.; for Adam & Catherine Hartzell & descendants, see pages 26 through 73.



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- 7<sup>2</sup>-Michael Bash, b. Aug. 5, 1738, Westmoreland Co., Pa.; d. Oct. 4, 1864, Fayette Co., Ind, age 76 yrs. 1 mo. 29 da.; he & wife bur Cemetery of Mt. Zion M.E. Church which they helped organize, Jackson Twp., Fayette Co., Ind.; there by abt, 1816; U.S. Census, 1820, 11 child; Land Patent Jackson Twp. issued to him Mch. 23, '21; 160 A. (orig. entered by Levi Plummer); Land Patent Hancock Co., Ind. 1837, sold to Martin Bash Smith & Thos. J. Smith (p. 89) both of Coshocton Co., O.; 80 A. each for \$500 each; 160 A, Hancock Co. 1843; 1844 sold to Smith Bash & adjoining 160 to Richard Bash, both of Hancock Co., Ind.; Records at Connersville, Fayette Co., Ind.; Will written Aug. 22, probated Nov. 7, 1864; property settlement 1867; mar. Mch. 11, 1811,
- Elizabeth Dolvin, b. 1787-88; d. Mch (May) 25, 1850 "in the 62nd year of her age"; data of children from: Will of father (1864); cemetery records; marriage records & county records, Connersville, Fayette Co. Ind.; & letter from grandson, Wm. E. Bash (1930) to Dr. J. Culver Hartzell; & histories of Fayette Co., Ind.
- 1<sup>3</sup>-Samuel Bash, b. June 15, 1812.
- 2<sup>3</sup>-Martin Bash, b. July 27, 1813; d. before father's will (1864) Deed 1844, David Piper to Martin Bash of Marion Co. Ind.; deed 1849 to Martin Bash of Fayette Co., Ind.; mar. Fayette Co., Ind., Apr. 5, 1832,
- Elizabeth Piper.
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Sarah Bash, 2<sup>4</sup>-S. B. Bash, 3<sup>4</sup>-Marion Bash
- 4<sup>4</sup>-Amanda Bash, 5<sup>4</sup>-Mary Bash, 6<sup>4</sup>-Hannah Bash
- 3<sup>3</sup>-Mary Bash, b. Mch. 10, 1815; unmar. in 1864 (father's will)
- 4<sup>3</sup>-Catherine Bash, b. Mch. 1, 1816, Fayette Co., Ind.; living Dec. 1866, mar. Apr. 5, 1832,
- David Piper, b. Mch. 10, 1811, Virginia; d. Nov. 30, 1866; bur. Mt. Zion M.E. Cemetery, Connersville, Fayette Co. Ind; deed 1844, David Piper to Martin Bash of Marion Co.
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Samuel Piper, b. Sept. 8, 1839, Fayette Co., mar. Dec. 19, '71, Sophia Taylor, b. 1848
- 1<sup>5</sup>-Gilbert C. Piper,
- 2<sup>5</sup>-Clyde Piper (letter from Wm. E. Bash says Clyde was brother of Samuel instead of son)
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Richard Piper, d. ante 1866 (Will of David Piper)
- 3<sup>4</sup>-Jennie Mary Piper, b. Apr. 30, 1858; mar. McMahan
- 4<sup>4</sup>-Emma Piper, b. Nov. 20, 1855, mar. Reddick
- 5<sup>4</sup>-Gelina Piper, was a minor in 1870; mar. Skinner
- 6<sup>4</sup>-Sarah E. Piper.
- 7<sup>4</sup>-Elizabeth Piper; mar. Hess
- 5<sup>3</sup>-Elizabeth Bash, b. Mch. 15, 1817, Fayette Co., Ind; d. 1864-67, mar. Apr. 16, 1839,
- James Adams, d. 1863; will written Mch. 29, probated Apr. 13.
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Sarah E. Adams, 2<sup>4</sup>-Nancy N. Adams, 3<sup>4</sup>-Margaret A. Adams,
- 4<sup>4</sup>-Emaline Adams.



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- 6<sup>3</sup>-Smith Bash, b. Sept. 5, 1818, Fayette Co., Ind.; d. in 1870s(?); deed to him of Hancock Co., Ind. from father, 1844, (160 A, sold 40 to James Adams, 1844); moved to Marion Co., Ind. abt. 1853; will recorded Indianapolis, Book 9, John M. Bash, administrator; mar. in Hancock Co., Ind., Jan. 16, 1844,  
 Hannah Hornaday
- 1<sup>4</sup>-John M. Bash, b. Dec. 17, 1847, Fayette Co., Ind.; d. 1909; moved with father to farm nr. Indianapolis, Ind.; M.D. 1872-3 New London, Howard Co.; 1874 McCordville Hancock Co.; later Warsaw, Kosciusko Co. (Ref.: Memorial Recd of Northeastern Ind. 1896, p. 641); mar. '81, Elizabeth Wallace, d. 1902 (dau. of Sam'l Wallace of Kosciusko Co., Ind.); she & husband bur. Oakwood Cemetery Warsaw, Ind. (Ref.: Cemetery Rcds Pioneer Graves of Kosciusko Co. Northern Division, Ind., 1941, Vol. I, p. 4.
- 15-Wallace Bash, b. 1883.
- 2<sup>5</sup>-Flint E. Bash, b. 1888; d. Apr. 22, 1931; mar.  
 Frances  
 1<sup>6</sup>-Wallace E. Bash, Dr.  
 2<sup>6</sup>-Janet Bash, mar.  
 Balsbaugh  
 3<sup>6</sup>-Carolyn Bash
- 2<sup>4</sup>-(?) Jonathan M. Bash, Dr., d. Mch. 6, 1873, funeral Mch. 8, Castleton, Marion Co. Ind.; will recd. Indianapolis, Bk. 10, John M. Bash Admin., Hannah Bash surety; mar. Wife, mentioned in will.
- 3<sup>4</sup>-William Edward Bash, b. July 2, 1856, Castleton, Lawrence Twp. Marion Co. Ind.; d. July 1, 1931, Indianapolis, Marion Co. Ind.; raised on father's farm few miles n.e. of Indianapolis; to Indianapolis 1889; wrote to Dr. J. Culver Hartzell, 1931, giving data; mar. Hancock Co., Ind., Dec. 15, 1879,  
 Nancy Jane Emery, b. Oaklandon, Marion Co. Ind. (dau. of John Mahlon & Dianna (Swarms) Emery); living 1942.
- 15-Mahlon Earl Bash, b. Oct. 14, 1880, Marion Co. Ind.; d. Jan. 3, 1935, Indianapolis; Judge of Probate Ct., Marion Co., Ind. 16 yrs.; mar. Dec. 10, 1914,  
 Oneida Kingen, b. Hancock Co., Ind. (dau. of John R. & Martha J. (Roberts) Kingen); living 1942.
- 1<sup>6</sup>-Martha Jane Bash, b. abt. 1920; living Indianapolis.
- 2<sup>5</sup>-Roy F. Bash, b. Marion Co., Ind.; res. 1938, Indianapolis.
- 3<sup>5</sup>-Harry Roscoe Bash, b. Oct. 3, 1885; Castleton, Marion Co., Ind.; mar. Marion Co., Ind., Dec. 24, 1906,  
 Jennie Reichard, b. May 17, 1887, Castleton, Ind. (dau. of John Calvin Reichard, b. Clarion, Pa. & wife Mattie Rooker, b. Castleton); res. 1935, Miami, Fla.
- 7<sup>3</sup>-Richard Bash, b. Mch. 5, 1821, Fayette Co. Ind.; d. before father's will, 1864; deed from father, land to him, Hancock Co. 1844; res. 1848, Fayette Co.; m. Fayette Co. Jan, 4, 1844,  
 Margaret Ann Campbell, d. Dec. 1, 1852.
- 1<sup>4</sup>-John Wesley Bash, b. Aug. 14, 1845; mar. Sept. 25, 1866,  
 Mary J. Burk.



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- 15-Willie E. Bash, b. Sept. 21, 1868; d. Jan. 29, 1871, ae 2 yr. 4 mo. 8 da.; bur. Mt. Zion M.E. Cem. Fayette Co.
- 25-Charles Edmund Bash, b. 1872, Fayette Co., Ind.; mar. Hancock Co., Ind., Jan. 21, 1894,  
Rosa Tryhena VanCleve, b. 1876, Shelbyville, Shelby Co. Ind. (dau. Joseph & Louisa (Smith) VanCleve.
- 16-son Bash, b. Nov. 19, 1894, Hancock Co., Ind.
- 26-John J. Bash, b. July 21, 1896, Hancock Co. Ind.; mar. July 22, 1928,  
Mary Catherine Calvin Hissong, b. July 12, 1900, Lexington, Ky (dau. of Henry Grant & Mary Catherine (Berry) Calvin) (adopt, abt. 1910 by Thos. P. & Rebecca J. Hissong, Indianapolis)
- 36-Mary V. Bash, b. July 21, 1899, Hancock Co., Ind.; mar. Hancock Co., Ind. July 8, 1920,  
Everett H. Kyser, b. Apr. 19, 1893, Hancock Co. Ind; (son of Dayton H. & Mary Josephine (Snyder) Kyser)
- 46-Thomas E. Bash, b. Mch. 24, 1901, Hancock Co., Ind.; mar. Hancock Co., Ind., July 18, 1925,  
Gertrude Keems, b. Oct. 14, 1903, Henry Co., Ind.
- 56-Martha Valeda Bash, b. Sept. 14, 1914, Hancock Co. Ind.; mar. Hancock Co., Nov. 23, 1932,  
Myrenth Lynn Woodward, b. Dec. 11, 1909, Lapel, Ind. (son of Wm. R. & Ina (Bird) Woodward).
- 66-Kenneth Dale Bash, b. May 6, 1916, Hancock Co. Ind; mar. Hancock Co., Mch. 6, 1938,  
Mary Eleanor Cox, b. July 10, 1917, Hancock Co., Ind. (dau. of Thomas Jefferson & Blonde Blanch (Wicker) Cox)
- 24-William Bash, n. 1848.
- 83-Rebecca Bash, b. Oct. 7, 1822, Fayette Co., Ind; d. before father's will, 1864; mar. Fayette Co., Aug. 18, 1853,  
Joseph Plummer,
- 14-Thomas Plummer, b. before will of 1864.
- 93-Plummer Bash, b. Nov. 1, 1824, Fayette Co., Ind; d. Sept. 14, 1864, ae 39 yr. 10 mo. 18 da., bur. Mt. Zion M.E. Cem., Fayette Co.; mar. Fayette Co., Nov. 25, 1847,  
Rebecca Clifton
- 14-Michael Thomas Bash
- 103-Sarah Bash, b. Jan. 14, 1825, Fayette Co., Ind.; mar. Fayette Co., Feb. 22, 1849,  
Moses Campbell
- 113-Nancy (?) Bash, b. Jan. 6, 1827, Fayette Co., Ind.
- 123-John M. (?) Bash, b. Mch. 25, 1833, Fayette Co., Ind.; mar. Hannah (?), d. July 22, 1900; her will rec'd Marion Co., Ind.
- 133-Nancy (?) Bash, b. May 10, 1825, Fayette Co., Ind; d. 1859

Note: Unidentified Bash data, Indiana:

Hancock Co: Nancy Bash, mar. Mch. 26, 1846, James Cooper

Marion Co.: Louisa Bash - Jphn W. Creason, mar. Aug. 27, 1868.

" " : Charlotte Bash - George Bacon, mar. June 16, 1880.

& of Ohio: Catherine Bash, b. 14 Jan. 1814, Pa. (?); d. 5 Nov., 1883,  
Kosiusko, Co. Ind., m. Reuben Leonard Finton, b. 16 Sept. 1805, Pa. (?)  
d. 22 Apr. 1872, Findley, Ohio.



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## BASH - MISCELLANEOUS

## I

1. Records are found in Indiana, Ohio, and Illinois of another family of Bash, descended from Rev. John Bash, a United Brethren minister, who migrated from Baltimore, Maryland to Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, and from there to Stark County, Ohio, in 1811. This family of Bash (Bashe) came to America from Herefordshire, England. Data of them not included herein as it is believed they are not related. Ref.: Newberry Library, Chicago, Illinois: BASH LINEAGE, F 89614146, p. 303; HIST. OF STARK CO., OHIO, Perrin, p. 827, F 89284, 67; and STATE OF WASHINGTON, Hines, F 944406, p. 827.

2. In Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, about 1800, there was also a Jacob Bash and family, whose son, Jacobm Jr. moved to Grant Twp., Indiana Co., Penna. This is the family of Miss Laura Bash who is quoted on page 82. Data not included as it is believed they are not related to our family. Ref.: HISTORY OF INDIANA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, Vol. II, p. 1142.

3. We also find record of a Henry Bash of Westmoreland Co., Penna., who moved to Armstrong County, Pennsylvania. Data not included herein as it is believed he is not related to our family. Ref.: MEMOIRS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNA., Vol. 2, p. 425.

## II

- 1<sup>1</sup>-Christian Lauffer, b. 1730, Germany; d. 1800, Westmoreland Co., Penna, came from Northampton Co. to Westmoreland Co. before Revolutionary War.; bur. Bash Graveyard; mar.,  
Wife
- 1<sup>2</sup>-Peter Lauffer, b. 1752.
- 2<sup>2</sup>-Henry Lauffer, b. 1754.
- 3<sup>2</sup>-Bartol Lauffer
- 4<sup>2</sup>-Adam Lauffer, b. 1758.
- 5<sup>2</sup>-Elizabeth Lauffer, mar.  
Frederick Rice
- 6<sup>2</sup>-Susanna Lauffer, mar.  
Simeon Drum
- 7<sup>2</sup>-Catherine Lauffer, mar.  
Jacob Christman
- 8<sup>2</sup>-John Lauffer, b. 1769.
- 9<sup>2</sup>-Christopher Lauffer, Jr., b. 1771.
- 10<sup>2</sup>-Mary Lauffer, mar.  
Wentzel
- 11<sup>2</sup>-Magdalena Lauffer (youngest child) mar.  
John Bash (see page 84)

(Copied from Lauffer History by Miss Hettie Fisher, Greensburg, Pa.)



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## STAUFFER

"All family names mean something ..... The name Stauffer happens to be a very old one and has an exceedingly interesting history. It is an official title whose use dates from the middle ages, and whose English equivalent is 'cupbearer'. It is derived from the Teutonic word 'staupa' to pour. The same root in the noun form is 'stauf' which is the German for cup. So the Stauffer was originally the man who handled the Stauf, or wine cup. 'Staup' is the English form of the same old Suabian word. The office ..... was in existence at a very remote age in Europe .. there is a record of a 'Stauffer von Thunan' who took part in a tournament in Madgeburg, Germany, as early as 938. Stauffer was the name of the officer who handed the cup to the king, dukes and nobles of old Suabia. The position was one of great responsibility and considerable dignity and honor. In addition ... there was generally added the function of levying toll from the passing travelers and merchants, a part of which he kept for himself. Old Suabia comprised what is now the Grand Duchy of Baden and part of Wurtemberg, Germany, and the Canton of Bern, Switzerland. The territory which has special interest to every Stauffer, has for its western border the River Rhine and includes the modern cities of Mannheim, Hiedelberg and Bern." (Quoted from THE STAUFFER FAMILY HISTORY by Ezra N. Stauffer, 1917)

The several branches of the Stauffer family descended from Frederick, Count von Buren, born 1050, died 1094. When his oldest son, Frederick, married Agnes, daughter of King Henry IV in 1079, the king gave him the dukedom of Swabia and he became the Chevelier von Staufen, building his castle of Hohenstaufen on a hill above the little village of Staufen, near the Lorsch, in that part of Swabia which is now a part of Wurtemberg. This eldest line of descent, from which came several kings and emperors of the Holy Roman Empire, became known as the Hohenstaufen; but the younger branches of the family were known as Staufen (which later became Stauffer). All branches of the family used the same Coat-of-Arms with such modifications as heraldry required for the blazoning of armorial bearings.

The Stauffer Coat-of-Arms, as given by Reitsap, in his *PLANCHES de l'ARMORIAL GENERAL* (no date) is: Arms azure, from the sinister side an arm embowed and vested or, holding a cup; in dexter side, a mullet or; in base a trefold vert. Crest: A demi-German clothed azure, with a cross on his chest; attired in hat and plumes; holding a cup or; and a sword or. Motto: Den Strauf Ich (I bear the burden). The colors are: azure(blue) or(gold); vert(green). These symbolize loyalty, generosity, elevation of mind, joy and peace. The meaning of the mullet and trefoil is not clear although the mullet(a star shaped figure) may mean the third son of a family. The cross and sword may mean a soldier of the Holy Wars, the Crusades.



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The Hohenstaufen Line ruled the Holy Roman Empire from 1138 to 1272. The rule of the three Hohenstaufen emperors, Frederick I, Henry VI and Frederick II (1152-1250) marks the most admirable period of its history. Frederick II was a "lover of poetry, art and science. The most brilliant of German kings, he had six crowns: Empire, Germany, Sicily, Lombardy, Burgundy, and Jerusalem". With the death of Conradin (put to death in Italy in 1268) the reign of the Hohenstaufen rulers ended and their kingdom of Swabia was divided among the counts of Wurtemberg, the margrave of Baden, the counts Palatine of Hohenzollern and others.

At the end of the Hohenstaufen dynasty, "the male sex of the late imperial house being annihilated, all who claimed any prior family connection took to flight, one portion to Baden, another to Bavaria, and a third to Switzerland. So the beautiful Hohenstaufen was entirely deserted by the Hohenstaufen family and has never since been reclaimed by them". (Reference for above: GESCHICHTE DER HOHENSTAUFEN & IHRER ZEIT, by Von Raumer, and HISTORY OF THE MENNONITES, by Cassel.)

The Hohenstaufen castle was destroyed during the Peasants' War in the 16th Century. The ruins may still be seen at the top of Hohenstaufen Berg (2,249 feet high) which is a hill on the left bank of the Danube, 30 miles from Stuttgart.

The HISTORY OF BUCKS CO., PA. by J.H. Battle, 1887, p.1067, says that the Stauffer family in America came from Switzerland and that, according to tradition they owe their origin to a generation of knights called Stauffacher, at Hohenstaufen, who, at the time of the freeing of Switzerland by William Tell, were wealthy farmers and rendered great assistance.

The earliest ancestor of this family (who are said to have been descended from the Royal House of Hohenstaufen) of whom we have consecutive data, is Christian Staufer, born about 1580, in Thun, Switzerland. He was an Anabaptist, or Mennonite, and was driven out of Switzerland by the followers of Ulrich Zwingli on account of his religious faith. He fled to the Palatinate, arriving January 1, 1672, at Ibersheim, Germany,\* where he lived and died. Only two of his sons are mentioned by name, sons of his 2nd wife. They are; Ulrich and Daniel, both born in Thun.\* Daniel's son, Hans (Johannes) Staufer, born 1655, married Kinget Heistand and, with four of his five children emigrated to America.

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\*Note: This early data is from letter of Prof. Clinton Stauffer, written to Dr. J. Culver Hartzell on October 11, 1930. Although the STAUFFER-STOVER FAMILY HISTORY by Fretz (pp. 195-283) gives birthplaces of Daniel Staufer, his son Johannes & descendants as Alzeim on the Rhine or Weissenham near Zurich, Switzerland, we have used the data of Prof. Stauffer as it appears to be more recent and is thought to be a correction through more recent research.



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The following is an outline history of the trip made by Hans(John) Stauffer and his family, sailing November 8, 1709, from Weissenau on the Rhine and reaching London, England, January 26, 1710, as written in his Diary and translated from the German into English by Rev.H.F.Lisses at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, October 26, 1926, for J.B.Stauffer.

1709-1710.(pages 1-3 inclusive) I, Hans Stauffer, have moved November 5th 1709 with wife and children, Jacob 13 years, Daniel 12 years, Heinrich 9 years, Elizabeth and her husband Paulus Friedt and one child Matia. November 8th we eight persons left Weissenau. In Bingen we stayed one day. We left Nov.10 for Hebstet. November 11 we left for Werum Wirt. November 12 for Erbsten. November 13, 23 left for Millen. Here we stay one day. November 15 we left for Eisen. At Eisen we stayed two days. From here November 17 to Erdinger. From where we arrived November 21 at the shore. We had to wait here until the wind abated. On November 22nd we traveled as far as Emerich. Here we had to wait until the wind abated. We left Emerich November 24th and came to Schingen Schnatz. Here we had to wait until the wind abated. November 27th we left Schingenschnatz and came to nigh Reim on November 28th. We arrived at Wing and from there came to Ghent November 29th and on December 1st arrived at Amsterdam. December 17th we left Amsterdam and 1/2 hour outside the City we had to stop until the wind changed, and December 19th we arrived in Rotterdam. Here we had to wait until the flood came so we could sail. He had to wait 13 days. December 29th we left Rotterdam for Bal-Nach-Brill. Here we had to wait until the wind was favorable, and January 20th we left this place and jourined to London. That took six days. Arriving at London January 26th, 1710.

Continuing their journey to America, Hans(Johannes)Stauffer and his family reached Pennsylvania in the spring of the same year, 1710, and settled near the Schuylkill River at Valley Forge in Chester County, not far from Philadelphia. His plantation of 500 acres was in that part of Chester County which is now Montgomery County.

His sons, Jacob, Daniel and Henry, when grown, settled in Berks County, Pennsylvania, where they bought plantations and built their homes. Henry Stauffer (born 1700) settled near his older brothers in Colebrookdale Township, Berks County, Pennsylvania. Henry married, 1735, Magdalena Hess(?)\*of Lancaster County.

\*Note: There is some question about who Magdalena Hess married. GENEALOGY OF THE HESS FAMILY says that Magdalena, daughter of Hans & Magdalena Hess, and granddaughter of Samuel Hess who settled in Lancaster Co., 1712, married Jacob Stauffer. EGLE'S NOTES & QUERIES 4th Series(Reprint) p.305 says that Magdalena Hess of Lancaster Co. married 1735, Henry Stauffer, son of the widow, Veronica Stauffer. This Henry was a cousin of our Henry. See Stauffer Chart, p.103.



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Pennsylvania. It is said that Henry Stauffer and wife had seven (or ten) children but records are available of only his son John.

John Stauffer, born 1760 in Berks County, served in the American Revolution as a Private:

- 2nd Class, Hereford Twp., Berks Co., Pa., Capt. John Miller.  
Reference: PA. ARCH., 5th Ser., Vol. V, p. 247.
- 2nd Class, 1780, Capt. Henry Custer.  
Reference: PA. ARCH., 5th Ser., Vol. VII, p. 231
- 3rd Class, 1783, 6th Co. 6th Battl. Lieut. Erhman, Col. John Huber.  
Reference: PA. ARCH., 5th Ser., Vol. VII, p. 616
- 1st Class, 7th Battalion, Capt. Thos. Robinson  
Reference: PA. ARCH. 5th Ser. Vol. VII, pp. 700, 756, 784.
- ? Class, 1778, 9th Battl., Capt. Gingery  
Reference: PA. ARCH., 5th Ser., Vol. VII, p. 880

After the Revolution, John Stauffer married, about 1790<sup>62</sup>, Nancy Ann Shellenberger (Shallenberger) of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. Their seven children were probably born in Lancaster County, but the family moved to Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania prior to 1812. On May 12, 1812, John Stauffer bought from Yost Zuck in Hempfield Township, Westmoreland County, "for 1270 pounds, 10 shillings, lawful money", land which Yost Zuck had bought from Thomas Ciannahan and his wife Isobel, who had gotten the land on a government patent. (Deed Book 15, p. 409)

In 1812, Jacob Shallenberger of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, the father-in-law of John Stauffer, died, and left his land to his eldest son, Andrew who was to pay the other heirs. In 1814 there were a number of releases, one of which was from Jacob Shallenberger, second son, and John Stauffer and Ann his wife, of Mt. Pleasant Township, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. Mt. Pleasant Township adjoins Hempfield Township on the north.

The land which John Stauffer, Sr. had bought from Yost Zuck in 1812, he and his wife Nancy deeded to their oldest son, Jacob Stauffer (Deed Book 15, p. 208) in the presence of Abram Schallenberger and David Schallenberger who may have been relatives of Nancy's.

It would seem that John Stauffer, Sr. deeded his lands to his sons as they were married. He died in 1837, leaving no will. In Deed Book 23, p. 122, the following statement would seem to corroborate this: "This indenture made April 1, 1837, between Jacob and John Stauffer and executors of John Stauffer, Sr., late of the same Township". One of the executors was Abraham Shallenberger. John Stauffer, Jr. was born 1792, married 1814, in Mt. Pleasant Township, Margaret Worman, daughter of George Worman, Jr., whose land adjoined the land of John Stauffer, Sr. (See Chart, p. 100). Their daughter, Nancy Worman Stauffer, married Michael Bash Hartzell in 1836. (For Michael & Nancy Hartzell & descendants, see pp. 31-73)



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## STAUFFER CHART

- 1<sup>1</sup>-Christian Stauffer, b.abt.1580,Thun,Switzerland, fled to Ibersheim,Germany,arriv.Jan.1,1672;a Mennonite refugee,and died there.Only two sons mentioned by name, sons by 2nd wife.(From Prof.Clinton R.Stauffer,Oct. 11,1930,to Dr.J.Culver Hartzell); mar.
- a.Wife  
b.Wife
- 1<sup>2</sup>-Ulrich Stauffer,b.1630,Thun,Switzerland,fled to Germany with father; mar.
- 1<sup>3</sup>-(Six children)
- 2<sup>2</sup>-Daniel Stauffer,b.1633,Thun,Switzerland; fled to Germany with father\* mar.,  
Wife.(Six or seven children, record of only four)
- 1<sup>3</sup>-John(Hans or Johannes)Stauffer,b.1655\*; arriv.Philadelphia,Pa.,spring of 1710 with wife and four children; (see pages 96-97); 500 A near Schuylkill River, near Valley Forge,Chester(now Montgomery)County,Pa., mar. 1685  
Kinget Heistand (widow of Michael Risser)
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Amelia Stauffer; remained in Germany; mar.  
Gerhart Clemens
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Elizabeth Stauffer\* to America 1710(p.97) mar.,  
Paul Freidt
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Mary Freidt
- 3<sup>4</sup>-Jacob Stauffer,b.1695(6)\*; to America 1710; mar.at Valley Forge,Pa.;d.1780;bur.graveyard adjoining Plantation;after mar. moved to Hereford(now Washington)Twp.,Berks Co.,Pa.; mar.  
Barbara (have record of some descendants)
- 4<sup>4</sup>-Daniel Stauffer, b.1697\*; to America 1710; mar.,  
Wife (have record of some descendants)
- 5<sup>4</sup>-Henry Stauffer,b.1700\*; arriv.Amer.with parents 1710,age 9 yrs;raised nr.Valley Forge in Chester (now Montgomery)Co.,Pa.;settled nr his older brothers in Colebrook Twp.,Berks Co.,Pa.; mar.,  
Magdalena Hess (?) (see note page 97); said to have had seven children(have record of only son John)

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\*Note: The STAUFFER-STOVER FAMILY HISTORY by Fretz, p.195, says that Daniel<sup>2</sup>Stauffer,John<sup>3</sup>Stauffer and his children were born at Alzheim (on the Rhine) or Weissenham, near Zurich, Switzerland. The HISTORY OF BUCKS CO.,PA.,1887 by Battle,says that John(Hans)<sup>3</sup>Stauffer was driven out of Switzerland shortly after his marriage in 1685. However,this compiler has used the data above, which was sent to Dr.J.Culver Hartzell in 1930, as it appears to have been of a later date,the result of more recent research,and therefore probably more accurate. Prof.Clinton R.Stauffer is a descendant of Daniel<sup>3</sup>Stauffer, son of Daniel<sup>2</sup>. (See page 103).



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- 15-John Stauffer, Sr., b. 1780<sup>62</sup>, Berks Co., Pa.; d. 1837, Westmoreland Co., Pa.; Revolutionary Soldier (p. 98)  
Thought to have lived Lancaster Co.; moved prior to 1812 to Hempfield (Mt. Pleasant) Twp., Westmoreland Co.; mar. Lancaster Co., abt. 1786,  
Nancy Ann Shellenberger (Shallenberger) b. 1765; d. 1825,  
(dau. of Jacob & Ann Shellenberger of Lancaster Co., Pa. (see p. 108))
- 16-Jacob Stauffer, b. 1787, prob. Lancaster Co., Pa.;  
d. 1838; rec'd part of father's land (Deed Book 15, p. 208); mar.,  
a. Katie Evans  
b. Mary Miller
- 17-Abram Miller Stauffer, b. Apr. 3, 1835; d. Feb. 25, 1914; mar.  
Wife  
18-John S. Stauffer; mar.  
Wife
- 26-John Stauffer, Jr., b. Apr. 1, 1792 (notes from his daughter Nancy); d. Dec. 28, 1871, Westmoreland Co. Pa.; to Westmorl'd Co. with parents prior to 1812; bought land in Derry Twp., 1831, which he sold Mch. 13, 1838 to George Stauffer, his son; mar. Westmoreland Co., Apr. 7, 1814,  
Margaret Worman, b. July 7, 1794, Hagerstown, Md. (?);  
d. Jan. 15, 1891 (dau. of Geo. Worman, Jr. whose land joined that of John Stauffer, Sr. see p. 105);  
(marriages of children from notes of Michael who spelled name Stouffer in notes)
- 17-Susan Satuffer, b. Feb. 6, 1815, Westmoreland Co., Pa.; d. Nov., 1854; mar. 1830,  
John Parker  
18-Margaret Parker  
28-George Parker, mar.  
Miss Coleman  
38-Lizzie Parker, mar.  
Robinson  
48-Samantha Parker, 58-Curtiz Parker, 68-John Parker, 78-Albert Parker, 88-Celia Parker, 98-Claire Parker, 108-Frank Parker, 118-Alice Parker.
- 27-George Stauffer, b. Mch. 8, 1816, Westmoreland Co., Pa.; d. Jan. 14, 1889; mar. 1st, Sept. 1, 1836,  
a. Martha Bell (dau. John & Martha (Gilcrest) Bell  
18-Cyrus Stauffer, b. Jan. 14, 1842; d. Oct. 15, 1914, mar. Apr. 10, 1867,  
Jane Parker Ray (sist to Lyman Ray) b. Dec. 29 1843.  
19-Ray, 29-George, 39-Allen, 49pTheodora,  
59-Martha Bell, 69-Christopher, all d. young.  
79-Margaret Ray Stauffer, b. Mch. 27, 1880; mar. Edward Nesbit, Oct. 16, 1913.  
89-Jean Stauffer, b. Dec. 6, 1890 (a DAR & cousin to Miss Eleanor Ray) mar. Aug. 4, 1914  
Merle E. Frey.



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- 2<sup>8</sup>-Charles Cook Stauffer, mar.  
 Deborah Graham  
 1<sup>9</sup>-Ida; 2<sup>9</sup>-Frances; 3<sup>9</sup>-Ralph; 4<sup>9</sup>-Charles.
- 3<sup>8</sup>-Ida Stauffer, mar.  
 John Kimma  
 1<sup>9</sup>-Harry Kimma; 2<sup>9</sup>-Norman Kimma.
- 27-George Stauffer(above)mar.2nd,Oct.23,1856(?)  
 b.Emma Mathias  
 4<sup>8</sup>-Geo.Henry Stauffer,b.Nov.26,1857;d.Feb.26,1923  
 5<sup>8</sup>-Lizzie Stauffer,b.Oct.5,1867; mar.  
 John Hohn(data this line from Mrs.Jean  
 Stauffer Frey to Dr.J.Culver Hart-  
 zell June 13,1929)
- 37-Nancy Worman Stauffer(Stoffer),b.Oct.5,1817,  
 Westmorel'd Co.,Pa.;d.Oct.12,1909,Moline,  
 Ill.; mar.Blairsville,Pa.,May 5,1836,  
 Michael Bash Hartzell (for Nancy & Michael  
 and descendants, see pp. 31-73)
- 47-Mary Stauffer,b.Dec.6,1818,Westmorel'd Co.,Pa.;  
 d.Aug.1848;mar.Apr.1836 (1st wife of?)  
 Daniel Rugh  
 1<sup>8</sup>-John Wesley Rugh; 2<sup>8</sup>-Nancy Rugh; 3<sup>8</sup>-Mary Rugh;  
 4<sup>8</sup>-Margaret Rugh("Maggie",see note p.32);after  
 death of mother was raised by "Aunt Nancy  
 Stauffer Hartzell" of Moline,Ill.; mar.  
 Martin Frick  
 1<sup>9</sup>-Emma Frick; 2<sup>9</sup>-Lincoln Frick; 3<sup>9</sup>-Nora Frick;  
 4<sup>9</sup>-Chas.Frick; 5<sup>9</sup>-?; 6<sup>9</sup>-Jesse Frick; 7<sup>9</sup>-Nancy "
- 57-Catherine Stauffer,b.Apr.5,1820,Westmorel'd Co.,  
 Pa.; d.Sept.21,1903; mar.Apr.,1838;  
 Patterson Fleming"ran the best Hotel in Tipton,  
 Ia.,called the Fleming House;one of his sons  
 raised horses, sold to Dr. Skiles"
- 1<sup>8</sup>-John Fleming; 2<sup>8</sup>-Lillie Fleming; 3<sup>8</sup>-Geo.Fleming;  
 4<sup>8</sup>-Wm.Fleming; 5<sup>8</sup>-Ellie Fleming; 6<sup>8</sup>-Margr't Flem'g;  
 7<sup>8</sup>-Mollie Fleming; 8<sup>8</sup>-Frank Fleming; 9<sup>8</sup>-Chas.Flm'g;  
 9<sup>8</sup>-Charles Fleming (prior to 1920 was manager of  
 Garfield Park Hospital,Chicago,Ill.)  
 One of the above daughters married,  
 Taylor and moved to Kansas(see note,p.42)
- 1<sup>9</sup>-Daughter Taylor, Edwards Co.,Kansas; mar.  
 Offerly, lived Ft. Collins, Colo.
- 67-Margaret Stauffer,b.Aug.2,1821,Westmorel'd Co.,Pa.  
 d.Aug.15,1903; mar.Blairsville,Pa.,  
 Feb.14,1839 (data from Mrs.West,1942)  
 James Flack Skiles,b.1813,Westmorel'd Co.,Pa.;  
 taught in Academy,Blairsville,Pa.,15 yrs;  
 to farm near Bluegrass & Wolcott,Ia.,  
 teaching in winters.
- 1<sup>8</sup>-Anna Jane Skiles, mar.  
 McCrea (?)  
 1<sup>9</sup>-James Thompson; 2<sup>9</sup>-Margaret Elizabeth;  
 3<sup>9</sup>-Robert; 4<sup>9</sup>-Clara Belle; 5<sup>9</sup>-Porter Turner;  
 6<sup>9</sup>-Harry; 7<sup>9</sup>-Roy Heber; 8<sup>9</sup>-Nettie.



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- 2<sup>8</sup>-John Henry Skiles
- 3<sup>8</sup>-Margaret Skiles, mar.  
Campbell
- 1<sup>9</sup>-Frank Howard; 2<sup>9</sup>-Luca Ione; 3<sup>9</sup>-Wm. Lee;  
4<sup>9</sup>-Mary; 5<sup>9</sup>-Clara; 6<sup>9</sup>-Grace.
- 48-Hugh Porter Skiles, M.D.; b. Aug. 28, 1851,  
Blairsville, Pa.; to Ia. with parents; was  
country Dr. in Ia.; bought horses from  
Flemings; owner of Garfield Park Hospital,  
Chicago, Ill., which he sold in 1920; living  
in 1941; mar. Aug. 27, 1879,  
Sarah E. Chambers, b. Apr. 2, 1853.
- 1<sup>9</sup>-Vera Gertrude Skiles, b. Jan. 17, 1882; mar.  
Harry F. West, attorney of Columbus, Ohio.
- 1<sup>10</sup>-Daughter West
- 2<sup>10</sup>-Ruth Eleanor West, b. Abt. 1922.
- 2<sup>9</sup>-Clare Skiles, b. Aug. 22, 1883; d. June 9, 1886.
- 3<sup>9</sup>-James Hubert Skiles, M.D.; b. Jan. 29, 1885,  
associated with West Suburban Sanitar-  
ium, Chicago, Ill., 1941; mar.  
Edna Raugh
- 4<sup>9</sup>-Frank Chambers Skiles, b. Oct. 31, 1887; mar.  
Elta Hedges
- 5<sup>9</sup>-Florence Margr't Skiles, b. July 28, 1889; m.  
Don Riley
- 6<sup>9</sup>-Arthur Ronald Skiles, b. Aug. 24, 1893;  
d. Sept. 11, 1915.
- 5<sup>8</sup>-Susan Catherine Skiles, mar.  
Smith
- 6<sup>8</sup>-Nancy Stauffer Skiles
- 7<sup>8</sup>-Adda May Skiles
- 8<sup>8</sup>-Evaline Shearer Skiles
- 77-Martha W. Stauffer, b. Oct. 22, 1822, Westmorel'd  
Co., Pa.; d. Jan., 1846; mar. Jan., 1843,  
James Fowler, d. 1846
- 87-John Stauffer III, b. May 29, 1824, Westmorel'd Co.,  
Pa.; d. May, 1864(7) mar. Apr. 24, 1848,  
Caroline Catherine Hill; they lived Walcott, Ia.
- 1<sup>8</sup>-Addison Stauffer, mar.  
Millie Weber
- 2<sup>8</sup>-Ella Stauffer; died prior to 1942; mar.  
Stockdale; lived Spirit Lake, Ia.
- 3<sup>8</sup>-Margaret Stauffer
- 4<sup>8</sup>-Infant girl
- 5<sup>8</sup>-John Stauffer IV
- 97-Daniel Stauffer, b. Oct. 29, 1826; d. Feb. 1, 1846.
- 107-Henry W. Stauffer, b. May 22, 1828; d. Mch. 14, 1851.
- 117-Elizabeth Stauffer, b. May 14, 1830; d. Aug. 14, 1833.
- 127-Lydia K. Stauffer, b. Oct. 15, 1831, Westmorel'd Co.,  
Pa.; d. Dec. 21, 1905; mar. Mch. (Nov?) 9, 1854,  
William G. Foster
- 1<sup>8</sup>-William Foster
- 2<sup>8</sup>-James Foster, mar.  
Eva B. Cummins



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- 19-Charles Foster  
 137-Evaline Stauffer, b.Oct.19,1833,Westmorel'd Co.,  
 Pa.;d.Apr.1(7),1860; mar.Nov.9,1854,  
 Samuel Morehead  
 147-Christian(Christopher)Stauffer, b.Dec.25,1836,  
 West.Co.Pa.;living on old homestead,Blairs-  
 ville,Pa.1909;m.1st.Mch.8,1860,2nd Mch.1,'66,  
 a.Amelia M.Reich, d.Feb.7,1865  
 b.Cynthia Akers  
 18-William Stauffer  
 28-Millie Stauffer  
 38-Frank Stauffer  
 48-Mary Stauffer  
 58-Margaret Stauffer  
 68-Malinda Stauffer  
 78-Catherine Stauffer  
 88-Nancy Stauffer  
 157-Malissa Stauffer, b.Apr.29,1840,Westmoreland  
 Co.,Pa.; mar.Oct.23,1859,  
 John S.Morehead  
 18-Samuel Morehead  
 28-John Morehead  
 38-Lucy Morehead  
 48-George Morehead  
 58-Virgil Morehead  
 68-Craig Morehead  
 36-Barbary Stauffer, mar.  
 Jacob Frills or Hills  
 46-Henry Stauffer, mar.  
 Barbary Salemore  
 56-Mary Stauffer, mar.  
 Mather Slone  
 66-Christian Stauffer, mar.  
 Katie Ellis  
 76-Nancy Stauffer, mar.  
 Weaver

- 23-Ulrich Stauffer, settled in Holland  
 33-Amelia Stauffer, no record  
 44-Daniel Stauffer, b.1660; migrated to Ibersheim, Germany,  
 and occupied the "Muchenheiserhof"; part of his  
 immediate family had left for America and he intend-  
 ed following, but died in 1735. His wife and the  
 final group of children landed in Philadelphia, Pa.  
 Sept.24,1735; mar.

Veronica. Descendants say it was her son Henry, b.1713, who  
 married Magdalena Hess in Lancaster Co.,1737 (see  
 note, p.99); have record of eight children and of  
 descendants of son John. Data sent to Dr.J.Culver  
 Hartzell, 1930, by Amos Stauffer and Clinton R.  
 Stauffer, professor at University of Minnesota.



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## WORMAN

Little is known of the Worman immigrant ancestor of Nancy Worman Stauffer who married Michael Bash Hartzell in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania in 1836. The following is quoted from records kept by Nancy:

"George Worman, Sr., born in Germany, married Catherine from Sweden. She was a Christian, but he was not, although a good soldier which is a noted thing among these people. They settled in Northampton Co., Pa., lived there for some time, then moved to Frederick Co., Md., where they and most of their children died. Henry, born in Germany, died in Frederick Co., Md.; Jacob, born in Northampton Co., Pa., died in Md.; Conrad, born in Northampton Co., died in Northampton Co.; Andrew, born in Northampton Co., Pa., died in Md.; George, born in Northampton Co., Pa., died in Northampton Co., Pa. George Worman, Jr., married Catherine Yurts at Northampton, moved to Mt. Pleasant, Pa., 1810. He was drafted three times in the Revolutionary War, but his mother being left alone the last time, he paid for a substitute. She was a great church going person but quite liberal in her views, could go to any church that was good. They belonged to the Otterbunds or United Brethren, living and dieing Christians. She died suddenly with pluersy, living to be quite old, being confined to her bed for four, five years. (Their daughter) Margaret was born in Northampton, married John Stauffer, Jr. at Mt. Pleasant, had 15 children ..... married Apr. 7, 1814. (Their daughter) Nancy Worman Stauffer and Michael Bash Hartzell were married May 5, 1836. John Stauffer, Jr. was born Lancaster Co. Pa., Apr. 1, 1792; Margaret Worman was born July 7, 1794 .... "

The first part of the above is difficult to interpret in accordance with proven facts. She implies that Henry, Jacob, Conrad, Andrew and George were sons of the immigrant, George Worman, Sr. If so, the full name of the immigrant may have been George Henry Worman, for we find that Henry, Jacob, Conrad, Andy, and George Worman, heirs of Henry Worman, Sr., deceased, patented a tract of land of 316 acres & 20 perches, located in Upper Salford Township, Philadelphia (later Northampton) County, Pennsylvania, which had been granted to Henry Worman, Sr. on June 19, 1772, (Warrant originally granted to George Clouster, Jan. 8, 1734, and to John Lynch, Jan. 17, 1734).

Or, these five sons (Henry, Jacob, Conrad, Andrew and George) three of whom later moved from Northampton County, Pennsylvania, to Maryland, may have been children of Henry, the son born in Germany who came to America with his parents. If so, they would be grandsons of the immigrant, George Worman.

If a grandson of George, Sr. and a son of Henry, our George, Jr. should have been called George III. The notes of his granddaughter, Nancy Worman Stauffer Hartzell, imply that George, Jr. was a son of George, Sr. The date of birth of George, Jr. (1752),



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would indicate that he was a grandson of the immigrant George, and a son of the George who she says lived and died in Northampton County, Pennsylvania. It seems quite probable that his father was named George Henry, and was the Henry of Upper Salford Township; and that the five sons of this Henry named were himself and his four brothers.

It would seem that the Henry who died in Frederick Co., Md., was Henry of the third generation, whose will, dated 1804, probated 1806, Frederick County, names his wife, Margaret, and children: Magdalena Lemon, Peggy Dickensheets, Henry, Elizabeth, David, Eva, Jacob, Barbara, and children of George, deceased.

That Northampton County was the home of our George, Jr. is shown by the fact that he served with Northampton troops in the American Revolution. His record of service is as Private:

List of Rangers, Northampton Co. War of Revolution, 1778-1783.

Ref.: PA. ARCHIVES, 3rd Ser., Vol. XXIII, p. 304

List of Northampton County Soldiers.

Ref.: PA. ARCHIVES, 5th Ser., Vol. IV, p. 698.

2nd Class, 7th Co. 2nd Battl. May 14, 1778. Capt. Christian Fisher  
Col. George Breinig

Ref.: PA. ARCHIVES, 5th Ser., Vol. VIII, p. 115.

His granddaughter, Nancy Worman Stauffer Hartzell says that he married Catherine Yurts in Northampton County, and that his daughter, Margaret Worman (mother of Nancy) was born in Northampton County. Another descendant says that Margaret Worman was born at Hagerstown, Maryland. George Worman, Jr., was married about 1780 and after the Revolution may have joined his relatives in Maryland for a time before coming west to Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, where we find him located by 1810.

His mother, Magdalena Worman, came west with him and died at his home, October 3, 1820, age 91. Magdalena Worman, George Worman, Jr., and his wife Catherine, and their son, Rev. Daniel Worman were buried in the old United Presbyterian Church Graveyard in Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania. This Graveyard has now been done away with but the list of those buried there has been published in HISTORY OF WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PA., by Dallas Albert, page 543; and NATIONAL GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY QUARTERLY, Vol. 19, No. 3, page 59.

Margaret Worman was married April 7, 1814 to John Stauffer, Jr. whose father's land joined that of her father George Worman, Jr. Their daughter, Nancy Worman Stauffer was married in Blairs, ville, Pa., May 5, 1836, to Michael Bash Hartzell. (For Michael & Nancy (Stauffer) Hartzell & descendants, see pp. 31-73.)

Notes left by Michael Bash Hartzell say:

"Grandma Worman Stouffer died 1891 - advanced age of 97 yrs. had 15 children, 80 G children, 130 great grand children & 30(80?) great great grandchildren."



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## WORMAN CHART

1<sup>1</sup>-George Worman, b.Germany, was a soldier, immigrated to America about 1730-35(?) with wife and son Henry, mar. Catherine from Sweden.

1<sup>2</sup>-(George?) Henry Worman, b.abt.1728(?), Germany, came to America with parents, granted 316 acres 20 perches Upper Salford Twp.Philadelphia(later Northampton)Co. Pa.,later patented to five sons(heirs);died before end of Revolution,for Nancy says mother of George,Jr, would have been alone if he went to War 3rd time.

(See page 104) married about 1745,

Magdalena, b.1729;d.at home of son,George,Jr.,Mt.Pleasant Westmorel'd Co.,Pa.,Oct.3,1820,age 91 yr.,but in old United Presbyterian Ch.Graveyard,now done away with.

(See Nat'l Geneal.Soc.Quarterly,Vol.19,No.3,p.59)

1<sup>3</sup>-Henry Worman, b. ;d.Frederick Co.,Md.;his will dated 1804,probated 1806,Frederick Co.,Md.,names wife and nine children; mar.

Margaret

1<sup>4</sup>-Magdalena Lemon

2<sup>4</sup>-Peggy Dickensheets

3<sup>4</sup>-Henry

4<sup>4</sup>-Elizabeth

5<sup>4</sup>-David

6<sup>4</sup>-Eva

7<sup>4</sup>-Jacob

8<sup>4</sup>-Barbara

9<sup>4</sup>-George, d.before 1804,children provided for in will of his father, 1804.

2<sup>3</sup>-Jacob, b.Northampton Co.,Pa., d.Maryland.

3<sup>3</sup>-Conrad, b.Northampton Co.,Pa.,d.Northampton Co.,Pa.

4<sup>3</sup>-Andrew, b.Northampton Co.,Pa., d. in Maryland

5<sup>3</sup>-George Worman, Jr., b.1752,Northampton Co.,Pa.(or Frederick Co.,Md.); d.Westmoreland Co.,Pa.,Mch. 13, 1824,ae 72 yr,30 d.;he & wife bur.old United Presbyterian Ch.Graveyd(now done away with)Mt.Pleasant,Pa.,(see Dallas Albert's Hist.Westmorel'd Co. Pa.,& Nat'l Geneal.Soc.Quarterly,Vol.19,No.3, p.59);Revolutionary Soldier from Northampton Co. (Pa.Arch.3rd Ser.,Vol.XXIII,p.304;5th Ser.,Vol.IV p.698; Vol.VIII,p.115); may have lived in Md.for a time after the Revolution; to Mt.Pleasant,Westmoreland Co.,Pa.1810;mar.Northampton Co.,1780.

Catherine Yurts, b.1756; d.Nov.25,1834, in 78th yr.

1<sup>4</sup>-Magdalena

2<sup>4</sup>-Catherine, mar. and moved to Ohio, Aren Peck (or Picks)

3<sup>4</sup>-Susan, mar.

Daniel Armal



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- 4<sup>4</sup>-Daniel Worman, b. Dec. 3, 1786; d. Aug. 19, 1862, clergy man; he & wife bur. old United Presby. Church Graveyard (now done away with) Mt. Pleasant, Pa. (Hist. Westmorel'd Co., Pa., by Albert, p. 543); mar, Elizabeth Sheep (Shrep?), b. 1789; d. Feb. 12, 1855, ae 66
- 5<sup>4</sup>-Lizzie Worman
- 6<sup>4</sup>-Mary Worman, mar.  
Christian Breckhill
- 15-Lizzie Breckhill, mar.  
Christ Trager
- 16-Pearl; 20-Frank; 36-Wm.; 46-Jack;  
56-Samuel; 66-John; 76-Katie
- 7<sup>4</sup>-Margaret Worman, b. July 7, 1794, Northampton Co., Pa. (or Hagerstown, Md. ?); d. Westmorel'd Co., Pa., Jan. 15, 1891, ae 97; mar. Mt. Pleasant, P., April 7, 1814,  
John Stauffer, Jr., b. Apr. 1, 1792, Lancaster Co., Pa.; d. Dec. 28, 1871, Westmorel'd Co., Pa. (for John Stauffer, Jr. & wife Margaret & Descendants, pp. 100-102)
- 8<sup>4</sup>-George Worman III, b. 1796, Frederick Co., Md. (?); d. Mch. 15, 1836, Mt. Pleasant, Pa. (data this line from Miss Myrtle Stahl to Dr. Hartzell); mar. May 6, 1818, Elizabeth Truxell, b. Nov. 29, 1800, Pa.; d. July, 1882, Augusta, Hancock Co., Ill.  
15-Barbara Worman, b. Feb. 11, 1820, d. 1836  
25-Moses Worman, b. Nov. 10, 1822, mar.  
a. Catherine Titsman (?)  
b. \_\_\_\_\_ Myers  
c. Nancy Myers  
16- Eleven children by these three wives.
- 35-John Worman, b. Jan. 19, 1824; mar., Maria Barger (?)
- 45-Anna Worman, b. Mch. 29, 1826; d. Apr. 24, 1908, Augusta, Ill.; mar. Feb. 12, 1844, John Stahl, b. Oct. 24, 1820; d. Aug. 14, 1908, Augusta, Ill., clergyman.  
16-; 26-; 36-Myrtle Lois Stahl (?)
- 55-Daniel Worman, b. Apr. 8, 1828; d. Dec. 7, 1926, Augusta, Ill.; mar.  
a. Catherine Meyers, d. Oct. 1, 1870, Mt. Pleasant.  
b. Mary Anna Stouffer, d. Aug. 13, 1910, Augusta.  
16- Eight children by these three wives, four dead & four living in 1929
- 65-Elizabeth Worman, b. Feb. 20, 1830, mar. Stewart  
16-Five children, all died prior to 1929
- 75-George Worman IV, b. Nov. 24, 1832; d. 1864, Cahaba, Alabama; teacher & Civil War soldier.
- 85-Amos Worman, b. Dec. 2, 1834; d. Jan. 28, 1906, Augusta Ill.; clergyman.
- 95-Michael Worman, b. Oct. 16, 1836; mar. Dudley  
16-Two children, one living in 1929.



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## SHALLENBERGER

"Rudolph Schellenberger and his brother were of the 33 patriots who met at the meadow of Grûth in November, 1306, and laid the foundations of Swiss liberty. They were proprietors of a well-known mountain in the Canton of Uri in Switzerland, called Schellenberg. From this the family and the name are derived with some changes in orthography." (Quoted from NATIONAL CYCLOPEDIA OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY, Vol.II, p.357)

Ulrich Schellenberger and his family were among 70 Palatines and families, about 300 persons in all, who arrived in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, September 30th, 1727, on the ship Molly, from Rotterdam, last from Cowes. The men over 21 years of age were taken to the Court House where they took the Oath of Allegiance. (Reference: RUPP'S 30,000 NAMES OF GERMAN IMMIGRANTS)

With Ulrich Shallenberger were his wife Maria and his oldest son, John. The name of Hans Jerge Schellenberg appears on the list also. As the dates of births of his other children are uncertain, they also may have accompanied him to America.

His son, Jacob Shallenberger(Shelenbargor) fought in the American Revolution as Private, 6th Class:

Capt. James Patton, 7th Company, 4th Battalion, Lancaster Co. Militia, 1782. This company was chiefly formed in Hempfield Township, Lancaster Co., Pa.

Capt. \_\_\_\_\_ Dorney, 4th Battalion, 1783.

Ref.: PA. ARCHIVES, 5th Ser., Vol.VII, pp.433,447.

Jacob Shallenberger is listed among Heads of Families in the U.S.Census for 1790, Hempfield Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, with 2 males over 16, 2 under, and 3 females.

He died in 1812. His will, dated September 11, 1805, probated November 5, 1812 (recorded in Register's Office at Lancaster, Pa.) names his wife Ann and eleven children. By this will, he left his land to his oldest son, Andrew, who was to pay the other heirs. In 1814 there were several releases, one of which was from Jacob Shallenberger, second son, and John Stauffer and Ann his wife of Mt. Pleasant Township, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania.

Jacob Shallenberger's daughter, Nancy Ann, married John Stauffer, Sr. about 1786, and they and their family moved to Westmoreland County sometime before 1812. For John Stauffer, Sr. and Nancy (Shallenberger) Stauffer, his wife, and their descendants, see pages 98, and 100-103.



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## SHALLENBERGER CHART\*

- 1<sup>1</sup>-Ulrich Schellenberger, b. abt.1694, Switzerland; d.1758-61,  
 Pennsylvania; arriv.Phil.with family,Sept.30,  
 1727(Rupp's 30,000 Names); mar. Aug.14,1719,  
 Maria, survived her husband
- 1<sup>2</sup>-John(Hans Jergle Schellenberg); b.1720,Switzerland;d.Jan.  
 7,1793,Pa.; mar.June 4,1744,  
 Barbara Cabble(Coble)
- 1<sup>3</sup>-Abraham Shallenberger,b.Oct.15,1764;Lancaster Co.,Pa.  
 d.Nov.22,1841; mar. 1790,  
 Elizabeth Strickler
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Jacob Shallenberger,b.May 6,1791;d.May 11,1848;  
 mar. 1813,  
 Elizabeth Herstein
- 1<sup>5</sup>-Martin Shallenberger,b.Dec.3,1825;d.Jan.4,1904;  
 mar.June 25,1849,  
 Eliza Jane Hall
- 1<sup>6</sup>-Thomas Martin Shallenberger,b.June 26,1850;  
 Res.(1932) 1425-24th St.,Des Moines,Ia.
- 2<sup>2</sup>-Magdalena, d.abt.1767; mar.1760,  
 Peter Witmer
- 1<sup>3</sup>-Magdalena Witmer
- 2<sup>3</sup>-Peter Witmer
- 3<sup>3</sup>-Maty Witmer
- 3<sup>2</sup>-Jacob Shallenberger, b.1737; d.1812; Rev.Soldier; mar.,  
 a.Magdalena
- b.Anna, d.1811, mar. 1789
- 1<sup>3</sup>-Jacob,b.July 29,1759;rem.to Columbiana Co.,O.; mar.,  
 Wife
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Martin Shallenberger, mar.,(1st husband of)  
 Elizabeth (who mar.2nd a Mr.Fretts)
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Fanny Shallenberger
- 3<sup>4</sup>- Jacob Shallenberger,rem.to Mahoming Co.,O.;mar.  
 Catherine Miller
- 2<sup>3</sup>-Maria Shallenberger, b.Jan.5,1761; mar.  
 John Messer
- 3<sup>3</sup>-Barbara Shallenberger, b. 1762; mar.  
 James Weiland
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Joseph;2<sup>4</sup>-Benjamin;3<sup>4</sup>-Jacob;4<sup>4</sup>-Judith
- 4<sup>3</sup>-Andrew Shallenberger,b.1764,Bulixen Twp.Fayette Co.Pa.  
 d.1830;his father's will,1812,left land to him  
 and he was to pay other heirs; mar.1770,  
 a.Elizabeth Forney
- b.Shoaf Sheap(?)
- 1<sup>4</sup>-Elizabeth Shallenberger, b.1793; d.1852
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Barbara Shallenberger, b.1794; d.1878.
- 3<sup>4</sup>-Anna Shallenberger, b.1799; d.1855; mar. 1827,  
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\*Note: Nearly all of this chart from Dr.Frances W.Witmer,1932.



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- 1<sup>5</sup>-Amos Herschy, b.1828, d.1899
- 2<sup>5</sup>-Daniel Herschy, b.1830, d. 1832
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- 4<sup>5</sup>-Andrew Herschy, b.1843, d.1843
- 4<sup>4</sup>-Jacob Shallenberger, b.1801, d.1877, mar. 1832,  
Elizabeth Rahner, b.1807, d.1890.
- 1<sup>5</sup>-Susanna Shallenberger, b.1833, d.1907.
- 2<sup>5</sup>-Daniel Shallenberger, b.1835, d.1835
- 3<sup>5</sup>-Andrew Shallenberger, b.1836, d.1904, mar.1868,  
Martha Mellinger
- 1<sup>6</sup>-Ella Shallenberger
- 2<sup>6</sup>-Jacob Shallenberger, b.1876, mar.  
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- 4<sup>5</sup>-Abraham Shallenberger, b.1838, d.1899, mar.1872,  
Amie Lehman
- 1<sup>6</sup>-Elizabeth Shallenberger, b.Dec.19, 1873.
- 2<sup>6</sup>-Mary Shallenberger, b.Jan.25, 1878
- 5<sup>5</sup>-Jacob Shallenberger, b.1841, d.1883, mar.1870  
a. Anna Rackson
- 1<sup>6</sup>-Louis; 2<sup>6</sup>-Margaretta; 3<sup>6</sup>-Edward
- b. Quina Brockson
- 4<sup>6</sup>-J. Brooks; 5<sup>6</sup>-C. Dixey
- 6<sup>5</sup>-Elizabeth Shallenberger, b.1844, mar.  
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- 5<sup>3</sup>-Abraham Shallenberger, b.1765, d.Mch.31, 1790.
- 6<sup>3</sup>-Ulrich Shallenberger, b.Mch.24, 1767, mar.May 4, 1797,  
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- 1<sup>4</sup>-Barbara Shallenberger, mar.  
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- 7<sup>3</sup>-Nancy Anna Shallenberger, b.May 16, 1768, mar.abt.1786,  
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- 8<sup>3</sup>-John Shallenberger, b.July 28, 1769, Fayette Co., Pa.,
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a. Philip Lutts
- 1<sup>4</sup>-; 2<sup>4</sup>-; 3<sup>4</sup>-; 4<sup>4</sup>-.
- b. Mr. Fisher
- 5<sup>4</sup>-; 6<sup>4</sup>-; 7<sup>4</sup>-.
- 10<sup>3</sup>-Magdalena Shallenberger, b.1777, mar.  
John Bradley
- 1<sup>4</sup>-John Bradley
- 2<sup>4</sup>-Jacob Bradley
- 11<sup>3</sup>-Chadran Shallenberger, b.Mch.6, 1777, d.abt.1805
- 12<sup>3</sup>-Susan Shallenberger, b.Sept.6, 1778, d.abt.1805
- 13<sup>3</sup>-Christian Shallenberger, b.1781



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Copy of letter from Miss Susan Kachline, December, 1943,  
containing data copied from copy in New York City  
Library.

CHILDREN OF ADAM HARTZELL & WIFE as given in  
Drylands Records at Hecktown

<u>Names of Parents</u>	<u>Children</u>	<u>Sponsors</u>
1. Adam Hartzel Anna Maria	Catherine b. June 13, 1769	Catherine Hartzel
2. Adam Hartzel Anna Maria	Anna b. Dec. 11, 1772	John Geo. Hartzel wf. Hannah
3. Adam Hartzel Anna Maria	Sarah b. Jan. 18, 1776	Philip Wolfe Elizabeth
4. Adam Hartzel Clara	Maria Margaret b. Feb. 25, 1778	Martin Gross Maria Margaret
5. Adam Hartzel Clara	Adam b. Sept. 4, 1780	John Ulrich Schleppi Anna Maria
6. Adam Hartzel Anna Maria Clara	Jonathan b. May 25, 1782	Parents
7. Adam Hartzel Clara	Leonard b. Nov. 26, 1783	Leonard Knecht Margaret
8. Adam Hartzel Clara	John George b. Jan. 9, 1787	Ulrich Knecht Eva
9. Adam Hartzel Clara	Balli b. Feb. 7, 1789	John Rambach wf. Balli
10. Adam Hartzel Clara	Eva Christine b. Oct. 6, 1790	Matthew Keonig Christine
( Adam Hartzel	Anna Maria	John Knecht
( Eleanor	b. Mar. 30, 1771	Anna Maria Knecht
( Adam Hartzel	John	John Wolfe
(Anna Maria Eleanor	b. Sep. 3, 1774	Anna Margaret Knecht

The complete baptismal name of Adam's wife probably was Anna Maria Clara, although only as the mother of the 6th child is the name recorded as Anna Maria Clara. The last two records I have placed at the end of the list because I did not know whether the name as it is written in the record Eleanor was meant for Clara. Dr. Hartzell, of I remember correctly, concluded that Anna Maria & John should be included as members of the same family as the other 10 children. I did not include these last two children in my list because I did not know if they belonged there. But since you know that John was a member of the family, I shall put him and Anna Maria on my list.

(end of quote)



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The Genealogical Records Committee of the Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter, DAR at Indianapolis, Indiana, is abstracting obituaries from the Methodist Western Christian Advocate. The following two obituaries have been quoted entirely and exactly by the chairman of the committee.

## OBITUARY OF CATHERINE (BASH) HARTZELL

March 15---In Moline, Rock River Conference, at the residence of her son, Michael Hartzell, Catherine Hartzell, widow of Adam Hartzell---who died ten years ago--and daughter of Martin and Catherine Bash.

We believe mother Hartzell was born in Pennsylvania, as we find her youth and early life were spent in Westmoreland county in that state. She was among the pioneers of that then new country; remembered many scenes of Indian troubles; but would dwell with delight upon her early experiences in religion. The family to which she belonged were of the first fruits of Methodism in that country. On the first day of the year 1800 she was joined in matrimony to her partner in life and then removed to another part of the country. The people of her choice were not to be found conveniently, and she joined the Lutherans. With them she remained till the year 1831, when herself, her husband, and most of their large family were brought to a saving acquaintance with the blessed Redeemer. In 1835, the parents, with most of the children and grandchildren, immigrated into Rock Island county, Ill., then altogether a new country. Here the family and a few kindred spirits were formed into a class. Mother Hartzell almost closed her threescore years and ten, and did patiently wait till her deliverer came to take his exile home. During the last winter she failed under the weight of many years of toil and anxiety, till the 12th of March, from an apoplectic attack. She sunk fast and spoke but little; but when roused to sensibility, she gave the fullest assurance that all was well.

(Signed) Abraham Hartzell

Vol. XVIII, No.18, p.72, Wednesday, April 30, 1851.

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OBITUARY OF BARBARA (BASH) SMITH

February 5---In peaceful triumph, at the residence of her son--James Smith--near Union Chapel, Coshocton county, Ohio, Barbara Smith, relict of George Smith, in the seventy-ninth year of her age.

Her maiden name was Barbara Bash. She was born in Westmoreland county, Penn., September 14, 1780. In the early part of her Christian history, she, for Christ's sake, shared privations and trials of no ordinary character. When some fifteen or sixteen years of age she embraced religion and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church of which she remained a faithful and exemplary member for more than sixty years, till she was removed to the Church triumph-



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ant. She was accustomed for some time after her conversion, in the face of strong opposition from her father, to walk, on Sabbath morning, ten miles to attend class and return in the same way, upon the same day, and yet her seat was seldom vacant. She has been known to go, on foot, thirty miles to attend quarterly meeting, arriving in time on Saturday for the morning sermon, and after service to walk six miles to get dinner and find entertainment during the meeting. She was married to George Smith April 26, 1803, and in the same year, with her husband, removed to Jefferson county, Ohio. Here, in company with her devoted husband she became a member of one of the first Methodist societies ever formed in that part of the state, and many were the way-worn itinerants and other Christian pilgrims who obtained refreshment and rest under their hospitable roof. While enduring the privations and difficulties incident to the early settlement of Ohio, the firmness of her faith was exemplified by many deeds worthy of those of whom the apostle says "the world was not worthy". In all relations of daughter, sister, wife, mother, and friend, she was graceful, affectionate and kind. She reared to maturity ten children, all of whom embraced religion and became members with her, of the same church---two of them preceeded her to the better land. Her life was a beautiful commentary upon her profession, and her death the appendix of her faith.

(Signed) Henry Whiteman.

Vol. XXVI, No. 9, p. 36, Wednesday, March 2, 1859.

I do certify these to be true and accurate copies.

(Signed) Margaret R. Waters,  
Chairman

(Notarized, Sealed, etc.)

Reference from page 25: Miscellaneous, Hartzell:

## CENSUS RECORDS, WESTMORELAND CO., PA.

	Males					Females				
	-10	10-	16-	26-	45+	-10	10-	16-	26-	45+
1810, Mt. Pleasant Twp.		15	25	44			15	25	44	
Adam Hartzell	3			1		2		1		
Leonard Hartzell		1	1			1		1		
1810, E. Huntingdon Twp.										
Adam Hartsell	3			1		2			1	
George Hartsell			1			1		1		
Adam Hartsell					1		1			1
John Hartsell	4	3	1	1					1	
1820, Mt. Pleasant Twp.										
George Hartzell	2			1		3	1		1	
Abraham Hartzell					1			1		
Adam Hartzell	3	2		1	2	1		1		



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References from page 35:

1. A pale gray ribbon badge, about 2x5 inches, with fringe and printing, worn by guests at 60th wedding anniversary, says:

1836 1895  
Hartzell - Stauffer  
May 5

2. Invitation to celebration of Nancy's 92nd birthday:

NANCY WORMAN HARTZELL  
Widow of the late Michael Hartzell  
At Home  
on her ninety second birthday  
Monday, October fifth  
Nineteen Hundred and Eight  
1502 Eight Avenue, Moline, Illinois  
Two to Six

Reference from page 43:

Clipping from newspaper of Dodge City, Kansas  
July 28, 1933:

LAID CITY HALL CORMERSTONE  
Early Dodge City Resident Fails to Find  
a Single Familiar Landmark

J.D.Rapp of Kinsley observed his 85th birthday anniversary Thursday by trying to find a spot he could recognize in Dodge City from his residence here more than 50 years ago. He got his directions turned around coming into Dodge City and was not able to recognize a single place.

Mr. Rapp was a stone mason here from 1879 until 1899. He came to Ford county in 1877 and homesteaded near Dodge City and then moved to town. He laid the cornerstone of the first city hall in Dodge City. He helped build the stone home occupied by Mrs. Elizabeth Schmidt and family, 112 East Vine street, for the Muell family 51 years ago. Bill Hessman had the building contract and he was employed by Hessman. He recalls when Dr. T.L. McCarty planted the first tree in Dodge City and put up a windmill with which to water it.

Mr. Rapp's brother, John Rapp, Jr. was a lumberman in Dodge City, and the O'Neal place at 809 Avenue A, was the Rapp home. Another brother, Andrew Rapp, operated a hotel in Kinsley. J.D. Rapp is the only survivor of the three pioneer brothers. He joined the Odd Fellows lodge in Dodge City in 1882.

He went from here to Pueblo and later to Spokane, Wash., where he made his home until last November, when he went to Kinsley to make his home with his two neices, Myrtle Rapp and Mrs. Hoops. They brought him to Dodge City to observe his birthday. He found many old friends he could recall, even if he could not recall locations.



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Reference from page 41:

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE - Sept. 20, 1928  
on the front is a picture of Bishop Hartzell with these words:

BISHOP JOSEPH C. HARTZELL, D.D., L.L.D.  
The Livingstone of Methodism  
June 1, 1842                      Sept. 6, 1928

Page 2 -                      BISHOP HARTZELL (Editorial)

(The picture of Bishop Hartzell is made from a photograph taken of him as he was sailing for Africa for his first episcopal visit. The photograph is loaned to us by his sister, Mrs. Wallace of Kansas City)

Bishop Joseph C. Hartzell, while an extraordinarily interesting personality, is not one difficult to analyze. To an unusual degree he combined the two elements necessary to success in such a field as native Africa - vision and practical wisdom. Bishop Hartzell had such a vision of the potentiality of the African land, the Africa he loved and the people he loved for Christ's sake, that at times in speaking of the veldt, the kraals, the susceptibilities of the native races, he almost soared into rhapsody; he did rise to the uplands of prophecy. But it was all the while accompanied with shrewd, practical common sense which never failed to realize that

Heaven is not reached at a single bound;  
We build the ladder by which we rise  
From the lowly earth to the vaulted skies,  
And we mount to its summit round by round.

Bishop Hartzell understood well that the ladder up which the indigenous races must climb was stone, heavy, crushing to many, marked with bloodmarks, the old story of human evolution. To that he did adjust himself. He took over farming utensils, plows, hoes, seeds, tools for a machine shop, and even fonts of type and a "Washington" printing press. In a building the great Cecil Rhodes gave him he started a simple shop or school - and how it worked out!

In teaching those races to build their "ladder", he himself was the builder of men, the builder of a ladder which will one day reach from "the lowly earth" of the veldt and the jungle "to the vaulted skies" in the empyrean of which the white masters of mankind now stride and think and invent and pass their laws. It may be, it is, far off; but not so long in the future as the pyramids are in the past.

Bishop Hartzell and this writer often talked of the potentialities of the Bantu blood. He believed in it; we believe in it. A close study of those who use the Bantu speech shows a power of mind that only needs the chance, the spur, the encouragement to begin that long climb which the Aryans began ages before the founding of Rome; ages upon ages before mythic Troy; which developed into India and in long later ages into Sparta and Athens.



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With God a thousand years are but as a watch in the night. And Bishop Hartzell believed in the Watcher of man as the friend of the jungle and the men still beneath the actual beginnings of civilised conditions. The first start, the first rung in the "ladder" is agriculture and on that rung of the ladder Bishop Joseph C. Hartzell gave his life to help those unborn put their feet.

Bishop Hartzell knew what he was about. He saw the rainbow in the sky. He had the friendship of the empire builders who see. The cabinets in Downing Street, the home of Cecil Rhodes, sought his experience. He was known for what he was in European chancelleries than in many an annual conference in the United States. The facts of Bishop Hartzell's life are told on page fifteen of this issue. They are the headlines of chapters, as interesting quite, as that chapter we have sketched above. He went into the Far South with his eyes wide open. It was not guesswork; it was vision and faith, vision and shrewd common sense, which, with him went hand in hand. Some months ago this writer was in New Orleans. Bishop Hartzell had just concluded a visit at New Orleans University (one of our great colored schools) and had taken his leave. President Kriege did not cease speaking of the most keen enjoyment with which the bishop lived over his years there, the founding of the Advocate, which still issues the best church paper for Negroes in the United States; he walked about the great buildings of the University; and his pleasure amounted to ecstasy. We noted the fountain just between the pavement and our colored church where he and Mrs. Hartzell worked under such obstacles. The fountain is an humble memorial by which our colored members would perpetuate her memory, whose life was a fountain of blessing to them.

Often Bishop Hartzell and this writer conferred about his writing a history of our work among Negroes of the Far South. It is a long time since emancipation. The older generation had already preceded Bishop Hartzell behind and beyond that curtain from which comes no sound. He collected the materials. He did considerable writing. Certain epocs are in shape for the printer. But our observation is that the machinery of the mind is apt to slow down after one is seventy and tomorrow is rather a move winning road than today.

Someone should be charged with completing the work. Rust, Crogan, Taylor, are gone. And the second generation is also fading from the picture. Some place, a fireproof vault at Gammon should be the resting place of these archives, and one day that material, digested and appraised, should find its way into the light of day. What an occupation for Hamilton or Thirkfield who not only lived during those years but who themselves were part of the story. One thing, we have long thought it, and one day we spoke of it to him: Bishop Hartzell's heart ought to be buried in South Africa, at Rhodesia or Inhambane. For there it belongs.



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Page 14 - BISHOP JOSEPH C. HARTZELL - (Another Photo)

When the news was flashed over the wires, September 6, that Bishop Hartzell had just died in Christ Hospital, Cincinnati, O., there was real sorrow in many Methodist homes. His death was due to the injuries he received when he was bound and beaten by robbers in his home at Blue Ash near Cincinnati, O., June 1. On account of his age he could not survive the shock. He was born in Moline, Ill., June 1, 1842, and was therefore in his eighty-seventh year. Few men in Methodism have made an equally outstanding record. He sought a good preparation for his life's work by being graduated from Illinois Wesleyan University and Garret Biblical Institute. His scholarship was soon recognized. He received the degrees of M.A. and D.D. from Illinois Wesleyan University; the degree of D.A. from Allegheny College; and that of LL.D. from Grant University and Hedding College. While he was at Garret Biblical Institute he indicated his character by rescuing four men from drowning in Lake Michigan. For this act of heroism he was highly honored by the citizens of Evanston, Ill. He was pastor at Pekin, Ill., 1869-70. He was then transferred by Bishop Levi Scott to New Orleans, La. where he was the pastor of the St. Charles Avenue Church 1870-73. He was the Presiding Elder of the New Orleans District 1873-1882. He was the founder and editor of Southwest Christian Advocate 1872-1882. In 1882 he became the assistant secretary of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Educational Society and continued until 1888 when he became corresponding secretary and served for eight years. If he had closed his life's work in 1896, his name would be remembered for many years. The constructive work he did during that period can never die. No secretary of any of our boards was more welcome at any of our annual conferences.

When Bishop Taylor retired in 1896 the General Conference turned to Dr. Hartzell as the man of the hour to superintend the work in Africa. He served in that difficult field for twenty years and then retired on account of his age. Under his leadership there were remarkable changes. The twelve foreign missionaries were increased to ninety-five; the native teachers and preachers were increased from ninety-five to over 400; the church members grew from 4,000 to 17,000; the forty-nine schools with an enrollment of 3,000 increased to 271 schools with an enrollment of 14,709; and the value of the church property increased from \$75,000 to \$500,000. Whoever writes the history of our work in Africa must give much space to the great achievements of Bishop Hartzell. The church was ever ready to honor him for his valuable services. He was a member of the General Conferences in 1876, 1880, 1884, 1888, 1892 and 1896. He was a member of the Ecumenical Conferences in 1891, 1901 and 1911. The Republic of Liberia made him a "Knight Commander of Order for Redemption of Africa".

Funeral services were held in Trinity Church, Cincinnati, O., and were conducted by Bishop Theodore S. Henderson. Bishop Hartzell was buried in Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago, where his wife, two sons and a daughter are buried, and the services there were under the direction of Dr. John Thompson of Chicago Temple.



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References from pages 48-50:

No.15. Charles Walter<sup>7</sup>Jackson died January 11,1945, age 87, in Kansas City, Missouri. His widow, Susanne(Stout)Jackson died August 18,1945, in Kansas City. Both are buried in the Forest Hills Cemetery, Kansas City.

Reference from page 60:

No.44. LeRoy<sup>8</sup>Jackson Hyde died October 2,1946, in Lincoln, Nebraska after an illness of several months. He had been active in Masonic circles, being a York Rite Mason and a Knight Templar.

Reference from page 61:

No.46. Helen Kuhn<sup>8</sup>(Jackson)Black and her husband, Hal M. Black became members of Plymouth Congregational Church in Wichita, of which Mr. Black was a member of the Board of Directors and head of the fund raising committee. In 1947 their residence was at 3417 Country Club Place, and this was their residence when Mr. Black died on April 11, 1953.

Mr. Black had been active in civic and political affairs of Wichita, and it was largely through his efforts that College Hill Park became a reality. He had been a Mason since 1906, and was one of the organizers of Bestor G. Brown Lodge No. 433 A.F. & A.M. in Wichita. Mrs. Black is a member of Ilus Daylight Chapter No. 433 O.E.S. of Wichita.

Mrs. Black has been a member of D.A.R. since 1940, her chapter being Eunice Sterling of Wichita. She has served her chapter as Librarian for two terms, and for three as Chairman of the Genealogical Records Committee. She also served the Kansas State Society, D.A.R. as State Chairman of that committee for two terms. Nat'l No 317635

Besides her original claim on Revolutionary record of John Adam Hartzell, Sr., she has supplementary claim on record of Martin Bash, Sr., both of these claims being on her father's maternal line, Hartzell, as given in this book.

On her mother's paternal line, Kuhn, she has established claims on service of Michael Kuhn(Coon), Lieut. Jacob Stotler, and Henry Sites, Sr., all of Pennsylvania, being the first person to establish service of these three Revolutionary ancestors. This lineage she has compiled in THE KUHN(COON) FAMILY OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, copies in D.A.R. Libraries.

She also has four supplemental claims through her mother's maternal line, Burton. These are: Josiah Burton of Manchester, Vermont, Nehemiah Lewis of Connecticut and New York, Michael Merritt of Connecticut and Vermont, and Samuel Chamberlain of Massachusetts.



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She has also held memberships in other patriotic lineage societies as follows: Daughters of American Colonists, and Daughters of Colonial Wars on record of Michael Merritt, who fought with Connecticut troops during the French and Indian War of 1759 before moving to Vermont; Colonial Daughters of the 17th Century and Society of Mayflower Descendants on record of Stephen Hopkins, Mayflower Pilgrim; and Women Descendants of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company on record of Griffin Craft, one of the signers of the Charter of the Company.

Mrs. Black was one of the organizing members of the Kansas Quivira Society, Colonial Daughters of 17th Century, and of the Kansas Court of Assistants, National Society, A. & H. Artillery Company, and has held offices in both organizations.

Her address, 1962, is: Kansas Masonic Home, Wichita, Kansas.

## Reference from page 62:

No. 48. Errol Burton<sup>8</sup> Jackson married April 18, 1945, in Los Angeles, California, Bernice (Nessly) (mar. 1st. Davis, 2nd. Willis), widow, born in Wichita, Sedgwick County, Kansas, about 1895; a granddaughter of Rev. Nessly, pioneer minister of the First Methodist Church in Wichita. Residence, 1962, Los Angeles, Calif.

## Reference from page 63:

No. 53. Richard Holt<sup>8</sup> Lawrence and wife Zaida (Sherman), residence, 1962: 4125 N.W. 21st Terrace, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Their children:

No. 86. Barbara Joan<sup>9</sup> Lawrence married September 14, 1946, in Oklahoma City, George Henry Thomford. They have two children: a daughter Jan<sup>10</sup> and a son Dicky<sup>10</sup>. They were divorced in 1961.

No. 87. Wm. Albert<sup>9</sup> Lawrence II, married in Chicago about 1958.

## Reference from page 66-67:

No. 64. Marjorie<sup>8</sup> (Rapp) Whittum and husband Walter Whittum, announce birth of their daughter, Cora Charlotte<sup>9</sup> Whittum, on February 7, 1945. Their address, 1962: 103 Prynwood Road, Longmeadow, Massachusetts.

## Reference from page 67:

No. 67: Asenath G.<sup>8</sup> (Hurst) Henry and husband David Gale Henry have a 2nd daughter, Nancy Jo<sup>9</sup>. Their address, 1962, is: 1611 W. 51st Street, Kansas City, Missouri.



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Reference from page 68:

No.70. Gail<sup>8</sup>(Tatman)Bowers became a member of Eunice Sterling Chapter, DAR in 1961, on Revolutionary service of John Adam Hartzell, Sr. as in this book. Her son:

No.98. Clarence<sup>9</sup>Apetz, married, March 3,1945, Patricia Green, Tulsa, Oklahoma, daughter of Robert and Sur Green. He graduated from Perdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, 1947. They have three daughters: *He lives Houston Tex. She lives Tulsa, Oklahoma 1968*

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|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| i. Susan <sup>10</sup> Apetz    | b. August 1, 1950    |
| ii. Janette <sup>10</sup> Apetz | b. March 14, 1952    |
| iii. Gail <sup>10</sup> Apetz   | b. December 30, 1955 |

Their residence, 1962, is in York, Pennsylvania.

Reference from page 69:

No.75. R. Hardin<sup>8</sup>McCoy, Captain in the United States Army Air Force; in 1944 was stationed in India, and on missions flying "over the Hump" to bomb Japanese held parts of China.

References from pages 72-73:

No.83. Dorothy<sup>9</sup>(Hyde)Steinbeck and husband Garret Steinbeck, residence, 1947, Santa Monica, California.

No.84. Marjorie<sup>9</sup>(Hyde)Whitney and husband Clifford E. Whitney announce the birth of a son, Frank LeRoy<sup>10</sup>Whitney in May of 1944. Their three daughters were married as follows:

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|----------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| 111. Joyce Eleane <sup>10</sup>  | mar. abt. 1957     | David B. Clymer<br>(1 child, a daughter) |
| 112. Jean Loretta <sup>10</sup>  | mar. June 9, 1961  | R. L. Lifter                             |
| 113. Joan Marjorie <sup>10</sup> | mar. June 10, 1962 |  |

No.85. Walter Hubert<sup>9</sup>Hyde and wife Dorothy(Graham)Hyde announce births of 2 daughters:

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| ii. Judith <sup>10</sup> Hyde | b. January 18, 1947, Bryan, Texas.  |
| iii. Jill <sup>10</sup> Hyde  | b. November 24, 1951, Bryan, Texas. |

Their oldest child, Michael Walter<sup>10</sup>Hyde graduated from High School in Bryan, Texas in 1961. *Mar. Jan 24, 1965 Lunenburg 2nd Lieut. U.S. Army, Washington D.C. 1967 - Vietnam 1968 daughter born there, May, 1967 Michael*













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